

THE WEATHER

Continued cold today and somewhat colder tonight. Warren temp.: High 26, low 2 above zero. Sunrise 8:40, Sunset 6:22.

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RUSSIAN ARMIES CARVE OUT PATHS TO KHARKOV AND ROSTOV

Capture Of Many Important Towns Claimed By Reds

By HENRY C. CASSIDY

Moscow, Jan. 20.—(P)—The Red army pressed ahead today with mounting force on two newest offensive fronts, toward Kharkov in the Ukraine and along the newly opened corridor to Leningrad, and the Russians declared the Germans had been unable to hold a successful defense anywhere along the battle line.

In their push southwest of Voronezh, where the Russians were within 79 miles of the big German base at Kharkov, Red Star reported

EIGHTH ARMY ON HEELS OF FLEEING AXIS

Sweeping Rommel Forces Toward Tripoli British Gather Prisoners and Armaments

RACE TOWARD TUNISIA

By NOLAND NORGAAARD

Allied Headquarters in North Africa, Jan. 20.—(P)—Axis tank forces, in an apparent attempt to divert pressure on Marshal Rommel's army retreat, moved southward toward Tunisia, have smashed seven miles into the French-held Allied positions southwest of Pont Du Fahs.

Simultaneous with this disclosure by the Allied headquarters communication, an official French announcement said German paratroopers had been dropped in Algeria, presumably near the capital city of Algiers. Official offers of cash and clothing coupons rewards for their capture were published in the Algerian press.

The German tank column under General Von Arnim slashed through the French Tunisian positions in a drive along the road from Pont Du Fahs southwest toward Robaa, about 28 miles away.

To the north of Pont Du Fahs, an Allied headquarters spokesman said "every Axis soldier who has advanced to the west side of the road running between Bou Ajada and Goubellat" has been cleared out.

Communication lines between Tunisia and Rome's retreating columns were under further pressure from the air as U. S. fighter planes launched widespread attacks on roads all the way from Tripoli to Tunisia.

Allied air squadrons, operating from advanced air bases, pounded Rommel's retreating army as it moved away from the overwhelming power of the Eighth Army.

On Monday night, the airfield at Castel Benito, 13 miles south of Tripoli, was heavily attacked and large fires were started among dispersed aircraft, it was stated.

The same night a large ship was attacked by torpedoes and aircraft west of Sicily and "left in a sinking condition," it was reported.

Heavy bombers returned to Tripoli yesterday to attack the harbor (Turn to Page Seven)

Japs Paying Heavy Toll In The Solomons

By the Associated Press

Hard-hitting U. S. air troops and marines were officially credited today with wiping out 1,032 Japanese soldiers in a five-day battle on Guadalcanal island, in the Solomons, while American flying fortresses pounded enemy shipping 300 miles to the northwest.

Aside from hard going on three fronts—in New Guinea, Guadalcanal in the Solomons, and in Burma—Japan was reported now facing a serious shortage of ships to supply her armies spread out across more than 5,000 miles of the Pacific ocean.

Official tabulations showed that American and Allied submarines, warships and planes hacking away at Japan's vital supply lines have destroyed at least 443 Japanese naval and merchant ships, among which were six aircraft carriers, 38 cruisers and 60 destroyers.

On the New Guinea front, dispatches said Allied troops inflicted such heavy casualties that only 27 Japanese prisoners were taken in the capture of Sanananda Point (Turn to Page Seven)

DAYTIME RAID OVER LONDON DEVASTATING

Preliminary Reports Indicate That at Least Eleven Of Attacking Planes Were Downed

SCHOOL IS SMASHED

By the Associated Press

London, Jan. 20.—(P)—London was bombed and machine-gunned today in the largest German daylight raid since the Battle of Britain, and preliminary reports indicated that at least 11 of the attacking planes were shot down by British fighters alone.

A school was smashed and set afire, and from its wreckage workers recovered many bodies and dug into the debris for others believed killed or trapped alive.

Twenty-four children were killed in this school alone, authorities said.

Two sections of the city were bombed and some homes were destroyed.

The Germans attacked under cover of 50 to 100 fighters who patrolled the channel. It was estimated that 25 to 30 fighter bombers struck inland across Kent and Sussex.

They were engaged by RAF fighters and only a few of them reached London.

Raiders skimmed the rooftops, while others dodged anti-aircraft bursts in cloud cover high overhead. The attack began shortly after noon and the all clear was sounded a short time later.

The planes attacked during the lunch hour, machine-gunned streets and buildings after sweeping in over southern England in greater force than in any daylight raid in two years.

It was a small-scale repetition of any of a score of days during the early aerial Battle of Britain, when the Luftwaffe frequently struck by daylight.

It was the first daytime alert for the British capital since last October 26 and the first daytime bombing since last July 17.

Heavy and light anti-aircraft batteries in some sections fired almost constantly for ten minutes. British fighters also engaged the raiders in aerial battles.

The attacks today followed up overnight operations in which the RAF ranged over the continent on intruder patrols, attacking railway targets in northern France, Belgium and The Netherlands.

The air ministry said the forays were carried out without loss of life. In London, planes machine-gunned pedestrians and shoppers and men working in vegetable plots. Two barrage balloons were destroyed, one in flames.

A train approaching London was machine-gunned, but no casualties were reported.

Ten children and six women were killed in one London district when a single bomb destroyed three houses, while in another section six children and three women were killed when a bomb passed through the top of a cafe and burst in a row of houses.

These brought the total of London's deaths to at least 49.

SEVEN LOSE STAMPS FOR VIOLATING BAN

Pittsburgh, Jan. 20.—(P)—Cases of 75 Allegheny county motorists charged with violating the pleasure driving ban will be heard by local rationing boards, Samuel Chertoff, chief prosecutor for the Office of Price Administration, said last night.

Prior to the announcement, Walter R. Cartwright, district OPA manager, had heard seven cases, lifting "A" card stamps from five violators and dismissing two complaints.

Those who lost stamps had been to a party, a concert or a basketball game, or had gone out for a drink or something to eat. One motorist won dismissal when it was learned his brother-in-law, a soldier on leave, was doing the driving.

Chertoff said any motorist convicted at a rationing board hearing has the right of appeal to the district office.

Rationing Order is Expanded To Include Processed Foods

Washington, Jan. 20.—(P)—Secretary of Agriculture Wickard has signed an order delegating authority to the Office of Price Administration to ration evaporated and condensed milk, jams, jellies, preserves, fruit butters, pickles, relishes, processed fish and shell fish, and food products which contain meats.

Wickard, acting in the capacity of food administrator, had previously announced that the OPA had been directed to ration canned and bottled fruits and fruit juices, canned and bottled vegetables and juices, canned soups, dried and de-

Miners Ignore Back-To-Work Order

Rickenbacker's Pal To Take Up Ministry

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 20.—(P)—When Sergeant Johnny Bartek of Brechold, N. J., lays down his gun at the end of the war he expects to turn to the cloth.

Bartek, 23-year-old army air forces soldier who spent 21 days with Captain Eddie Rickenbacker in a rubber raft after their plane was forced down in the South Pacific, revealed his ambition yesterday on a visit to war plants here.

"After what happened to us out there I've decided I'm going to become a minister," he said. "I feel I'm a true believer."

He said he wasn't sure what denomination he'd join.

Marts Quits To Join The Coast Guards

Executive Director of State Defense Council Has New Assignment

POST REMAINS VACANT

Harrisburg, Jan. 20.—(P)—Dr. A. C. Marts resigned today as executive director of the Pennsylvania Defense Council to become a captain in the United States Coast Guard Reserve and undertake an important new assignment for that service.

Governor Edward Martin announced the resignation effective February 1—at a special meeting of the council called as one of his first official acts in office. Officials said the meeting would consider a successor to the director but was not expected to fill the \$10,000 post immediately.

Martin only recently appointed Dr. Marts to remain as director of Civilian Defense under his administration and designated him a member of his official cabinet. Dr. Marts accepted and had planned to remain until he was called into service.

Dr. Marts it was disclosed, will head a new organization of port security volunteers who will help guard waterfronts throughout the country. The first unit already has been organized in Philadelphia (Turn to Page Seven)

THOUSAND PRESENT AT INAUGURAL BALL

Harrisburg, Jan. 20.—(P)—Two Harrisburg couples rode in a horse-drawn landau to Governor Edward Martin's inaugural ball, the final event of inauguration day.

Thousands of persons attended the ball, held in the Zemo Mosque last night. Among them were the Governor and Mrs. Martin, son, Captain Edward S. Martin, and son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James B. W. Murphy.

An impressive ceremony by members of the Pennsylvania Reserve Defense Corps, taking the place of the Governor's Troop now in the armed forces, opened the event as the governor and his party entered.

BULLETINS

Santiago, Chile, Jan. 20.—(P)—Chile broke relations today with Germany, Italy and Japan, leaving Argentina the only American republic maintaining diplomatic contact with the Axis.

Harrisburg, Jan. 20.—(P)—The senate today was asked to approve a bill calling for an increase in membership of the joint state government commission—legislative research agency—to give both houses of the assembly equal representation.

New York, Jan. 20.—(P)—The body of a 12-year-old school girl, her head smashed, was found today in a blood-soaked bed in a West Side apartment, and police said she had been raped and slain.

New York, Jan. 20.—(P)—The marriage of Master Sergeant Ezra Stone, stage and radio actor, and Miss Sara Seeger, of Kokomo, Ind., was disclosed by friends today. They were married October 5 at Washington. Sgt. Stone is now appearing in Irving Berlin's "This Is the Army," which he directed.

London, Jan. 20.—(P)—Reuters reported today that the Axis radio station which has been broadcasting under the false name, "Radio Prazzaville," said British troops had reached the suburbs of Tripoli, which was in flames. This was without confirmation from any Allied source.

FLYNN TAKES STAND AT HIS OWN REQUEST

Minister Designate to Australia Offers Denials To All Charges Against Him

SCHULTZ NOT DEPUTY

Washington, Jan. 20.—(P)—Edward J. Flynn, minister designate to Australia, told the senate foreign relations committee today that when he sworn in the late Arthur Flegenheimer as a special deputy sheriff of Bronx county he did not know that was the real name of Dutch Schultz, the gangster.

Earlier an assistant secretary of state testified that Flynn's experience as federal commissioner for the New York World's Fair helped equip him to discharge the duties of minister.

Flynn, testifying at his own request, offered denials to all specific charges raised against him by Senator Bridges (R-N.H.) in opposing senate confirmation of the diplomatic appointment.

The appointee testified immediately after Assistant Secretary of State G. Howland Shaw presented the state department's endorsement of the appointment and said the Australian government had approved the appointment before it was sent to the senate.

Flynn said his opponents had tried to imply that Schultz was appointed a regular deputy sheriff, which was "not so."

"He was never appointed as a paid appointee of the sheriff's office," said the former sheriff of Bronx county.

Flynn explained it had long been the custom of New York counties to appoint friends or persons recommended by friends as special deputy sheriffs. He had mercy continued the practice, he said.

"A group would come into the office and I would swear them in," Flynn explained. "They received no salary and had no duties to perform. It was merely a gesture of the sheriff of that time to people with whom he was friendly, who made requests of appointments."

Before Flynn testified, Senator Bridges asked Shaw many questions as to whether the state department thought the former Democratic national chairman was qualified to serve as minister.

Shaw had read a prepared statement, which said the Flynn appointment was a personal one by the president, and answered each time that he thought his prepared statement covered the matter.

Finally, Bridges asked: "Do you know of any other minister or ambassador who appointed a gangster and murderer as one of his associates?"

This referred to the Schultz appointment.

Charges that the former Democratic national chairman and long-time political friend of the president was "unfit" for a diplomatic post were brought primarily by Senator Bridges who made a point in public statements of inquiring whether the government of Australia would accept him.

TO LAUNCH TANKER

Pittsburgh, Jan. 20.—(P)—The United States Steel Corporation announced the first of "a large number" of tank-carrying vessels being built at its New Ambridge shipyards will be launched next Saturday, exactly nine months from the time work started on the shipyards. Mrs. Harry F. Snyder, wife of the navy lieutenant supervising the shipbuilding, will sponsor the first boat.

State Lashed By High Gale

A destructive gale that reached a high velocity in some sections of Pennsylvania subsided today leaving temperatures only a few degrees above zero.

The wind damaged two airplanes at the Allentown-Bethlehem airport, injuring two naval aviation cadets who were staking them to the ground.

At Hazleton the mercury dropped to five above. Ice-coated electric wires snapped and several roofs were blown away. Electric service also was disrupted briefly near Allentown and at South Pottstown, where a warehouse roof was torn loose.

Sub-zero weather struck the outskirts of Pittsburgh while in the downtown business section the mercury slipped to eight above. The weather bureau predicted tonight's temperatures might equal the Dec. 31 low of zero.

New Governor Takes Oath



Governor Edward Martin, left, becomes the 35th chief executive of Pennsylvania as Chief Justice George W. Maxey administers the oath of office at inaugural ceremonies in Harrisburg Tuesday.

Two Hold-Overs In Office As Result of Minority Objection

Appointees of Ex-Governor Will Function For Another Week

HOUSE TAKES A RECESS

By the Associated Press

Harrisburg, Jan. 20.—Refusal of the Democratic minority in the senate to confirm two of Governor Edward Martin's cabinet officers today left the highways and public assistance departments in charge of appointees of the outgoing administration of Governor Arthur H. James.

Approval of all other cabinet officers was given by the senate following the inauguration of Martin but GOP leaders were forced to table appointments of Highways Secretary John U. Shroyer, Shamokin dress manufacturer, and Relief Secretary Samuel Y. Ramage, III, Oil City hotel and oil man.

Senator Weldon B. Heyburn, Republican floor leader, said he saw "no reason why the two cabinet officers will not be confirmed at next week's session."

He said appointment of Shroyer and Ramage while the legislature was in session made it necessary they be duly qualified—confirmed—before assuming office. Those named when the assembly is not in session—interim appointments—take office immediately.

Now in charge of the two departments are Highway Secretary I. Lamont Hughes and Relief Secretary (Turn to Page Seven)

Ration Boards In Shenando Area To Quit

Sharon, Jan. 20.—(P)—Seventeen members of ration boards at Sharon, Farrell, Sharpsville and Greenville have voted to resign unless certain rulings of the Office of Price Administration on the rationing of gasoline and food were modified.

In Pittsburgh, Walter R. Cartwright, district OPA administrator, said he had no knowledge of yesterday's action by the boards.

The 17 members are the full complement of ration boards in the Shenando valley industrial area, which includes several thousand workers employed on construction of the army personnel replacement center.

C. B. Lantz, secretary of the Mercer county rationing board, said he favored the local boards' action.

Dr. Howard E. Mather, Farrell board chairman, said the OPA ruling depriving local boards of the right to pass up applications for "extra gas" placed "too much authority" in the hands of state and district bodies unfamiliar with local conditions.

Levi Kaylor, chairman of the Greenville board, said construction work at the army replacement center would be hampered by the inability of workers to secure additional gasoline.

The board members also expressed dissatisfaction over the three-gallon per coupon gasoline allotment. Motorists in Pennsylvania by driving a few miles across the state line into Ohio, may obtain four gallons per coupon, they pointed out.

UNION CHIEFS ISSUE THREAT OF EXPULSION

Executive Committee Of District 1 Warn Men As Thousands Remain Idle

WELCOME INTERVENTION

Wilkes-Barre, Jan. 20.—(P)—The United Mine Workers served notice on striking anthracite miners today that they face "dishonorable expulsion forthwith" if they refuse to obey President Roosevelt's order to return to work by noon tomorrow.

The UMW executive committee of District 1, to which the unauthorized work stoppage now is confined, issued the warning as thousands of miners, increasingly resentful of what they regard as the government's unwillingness to negotiate their grievances immediately, voted to stay out.

M. J. Kosik, District 1 president, declared that "the majority of mine workers should not suffer because of the action of a small minority."

But angry muttering of "let the troops come!" were heard at meetings at which strike ballots were taken.

Karl Kratz, president of one revolting United Mine Workers' local, bluntly declared:

"I don't see why the government doesn't give the men the assurance that it will look into their grievances without the threat of force."

President Roosevelt served notice yesterday that the strikers must go back within 48 hours and said if the order was not obeyed the government would "take the necessary steps to protect the security of the nation against a strike doing serious damage to the war effort."

The warning was widely interpreted to mean that troops would be dispatched to take over the mines.

Some spokesmen, unwilling to be quoted by name, have said they (Turn to Page Seven)

Conflict In Rail Dispute

By JOSEPH A. LOFTUS

Washington, Jan. 20.—(P)—With a request expected daily from the non-operating railroad brotherhoods for appointment of an emergency board to hear their wage demands, government officials still were at odds today over which agency should pass final judgment on railway wages.

An apparent conflict in the provisions of two presidential orders will have to be resolved, the officials agree, but the manner of doing it has been debated for weeks without result. The railroads and the unions meantime have chosen sides, the railroads arguing for the War Labor Board and the union preferring a hearing by an emergency board, which would then report directly to the president.

The president issued an emergency order last May creating a panel of nine persons and stipulating that when mediation fails in a railway dispute the unions may appeal to the chairman of the panel who may then select three members of the panel to serve as an emergency board.

Under the economic stabilization order of October 3, however, the functions of the War Labor Board were extended "to cover all industries and all employees."

An indication of the interest that is being shown in the tin salvage campaign is reported from Sheffield where Washington school pupils have collected approximately 12,000 cans, a mark which the Lincoln school students are endeavoring to surpass. David Gustafson, a Sheffield pupil, holds the record with 764 cans with Richard Shick a close second with 733 cans.

It is hoped that a fairly complete summary of the results of the collection will be available in a day or two.

In the meantime, it is urged by the committee that the salvaging of cans be continued in every home just as earnestly in the future as has been the case in the past few months, since it is planned to have systematic collections through the duration

Leave Your Cans Along Curb If Trucks Miss Them Today

According to reports received this afternoon the tin can collection is proceeding in satisfactory manner in both the borough and rural districts and Chairman Wylie T. Corbett and his committee are quite elated over the prospects of more than meeting the quota of 42,000 pounds for the county.

Just before going to press Mr. Corbett announced that collections in the borough had slowed up because of the unexpectedly large number of containers filled with cans that were awaiting the trucks along the curbs in the streets of Warren.

The committee decided that it would be impossible to complete the borough collections today and those home-owners who had set out containers with cans are urged to leave them along the curb until they are picked up, which will be

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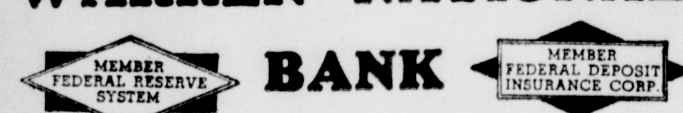
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WARREN NATIONAL



Corner Liberty and Second Streets

Red Cross Nurses' Aide Class Graduates At Fine Ceremony

Graduation of a second class of Red Cross Nurses' Aides Tuesday evening, bringing the total to 42, marked another step in this community's preparedness for wartime or civilian emergencies.

The exercises were held in the parlors of the First Presbyterian church, where a capacity audience of relatives and friends of the volunteers gathered to see them receive their caps and pins.

On the class roster were Catherine Elizabeth Anderson, Mrs. Gladys M. Brazier, Mrs. Ruth Brundis, Marion Elaine Dove, Laura I. Deming, Barbara Ebel, Mrs. Hazel Goering, Mrs. Rita M. Goughier, Marian Winifred Hansen, Mary Clark Hubley, Mrs. Thelma Johnson, Josephine Lucia, Nina Amelia Mack, M. Victoria Nelson, Ruth Arlene Olson, Mrs. Elsie Padgett, Mrs. C. Romaine Peterson, Mrs. Martha Jane Plummer, Mrs. Beatrice Rossman, Mrs. Lillie C. Rogers, Helen Louise Stroup, Mrs. Edna Welsh, Mrs. Zella Wood and Lois V. Retterer.

Seated behind them at the front of the long room were members of the Pioneer Class, taught by Mrs. Philip Coyle and graduated last March. In this class were Mrs. Mary Brown, Mrs. Ruth Brown, Mrs. Martha Baker, Mrs. Martha Schultz, Mrs. Pearl Anthony, Mrs. Alda Mathis, Mrs. Alice Schellhammer, Mrs. Ina Rudolph, Mrs. Laura Kniffen, Mrs. Edith Hedquist, Mrs. Wilhelmina McDannell, Mrs. Corabelle Ward, Mrs. Esther Sontag, Mrs. Betty Proud, Mrs. Rylenea Yeager, Mrs. Pearl Backstrom, Mrs. Muriel Carlino and Mrs. Gretchen Moll.

Opening the program, Helen Eckardt Olson played "Marche Flambeau" as a violin selection. After Dr. H. C. Warren had given the invocation, Alice H. Yeager sang "Dawn" by Curran and

"Thanks Be To God" by Dixon. Accompaniments for both were played by Fern A. Bjers.

Clare J. Cray, chairman of Warren County Red Cross Chapter, extended congratulations and best wishes to the class, emphasizing that the Nurse's Aides are an essential part of the local hospital organization and referring briefly to the lives of Florence Nightingale, Clara Barton and Henri Dunant, pioneers in the nursing movement.

Mrs. Mary Thayer, assistant teacher of the Pioneer class, and Miss Elizabeth Lautermilch, hospital director, were presented to the audience. Introduced, also, was Miss Vera Martindale, instructor of the present group, who was assisted by Mrs. Schellhammer, president of the Pioneer Class, in presenting caps and pins to members of the Vera Martindale Class. Concluding, an informal talk was given by J. H. Alexander, vice president of the hospital board and president when this class began its training in November. In behalf of the hospital and its officials, he extended a welcome to the class and repeated names of its members, after which he spoke of the service already given by the Pioneer Class and recited its personnel.

He said some hospitals have already been forced to close because of the shortage of nursing help but such a situation in Warren is unthinkable so long as there is the spirit and willingness shown by these two training classes. He announced enrollment of a new class soon to start and told of the requirements for Nurse's Aides.

Mrs. Yeager led the audience in singing "The Star Spangled Banner," group pictures were taken and the nursing committee and aides served punch and cakes.

TIMES TOPICS

CAR WAS ABLAZE

The emergency truck from the Central Fire Station was called to Main street, North Warren last night at 10:46 where a Plymouth sedan was ablaze about the motor. The car was badly damaged.

IS RECOVERING

Ed. M. Schwing is recuperating after a second major operation in the Buffalo Memorial Hospital. Mr. Schwing suffered an attack of pneumonia following the operation but is now getting along in splendid shape and expects to be home within a short time.

WILL MEET FRIDAY

The regular meeting of the Warren Council of Defense will be held in the Council office, 311 Market street, on Friday afternoon, January 22nd, at 4 o'clock. A number of matters will be brought before the Council for discussion and action.

SUFFERED A STROKE

Grant Matthews, well known barber in Warren for many years is in the Warren General Hospital suffering from a stroke which is expected to leave him at the residence of a customer recently. Mr. Matthews has a host of friends who are hopeful that his condition will improve.

GRANGERS CAN DRIVE

Grangers will be interested to know that the executive committee of the National Grange has secured a ruling from the OPA that Grangers can drive to meetings. Most of the Grange meetings transact business and also have educational programs. No Grange meeting however should be used as an excuse for such occasions as dances, card parties, etc.

ALL NIGHT TEST

Reportedly emanating from Pittsburgh stories are that Western Pennsylvania will soon undergo an all night air raid test. Allegheny county has asked for such a test and it is reported that it will be used all over this end of the state. However no word of such a test has been received by the Warren County Council of Defense.

IS IN MARINES

The U. S. Marine Corps recruiting station at Buffalo, N. Y., reports in a special dispatch acceptance of William F. Rieder, of Warren RD 1. Enlisted for the duration, the recruit has been sent to the Parris Island, S. C., depot where Marines for years have learned the fine points of bitter combat. At the end of six weeks of training the men leave here for posts at home and abroad.

OLEO ALSO SCARCE

Not only butter but oleomargarine is scarce in the city and yesterday numbers of housewives conducted a fruitless search for this commodity. The use of oleo as a butter substitute is growing by leaps and bounds and it is interesting in this connection to note that in the House of Representatives a bill was introduced yesterday to lower the license fee imposed on retailers for the sale of the product.

ONCE WORKED HERE

Myron Haas, former employee of the Emblem Oil Company of this city, but who has resided in Titusville for some time, is still the subject of search by the Titusville police. Haas disappeared from his home several days ago and his car was found in Cleveland with a purported suicide note in it. A letter was received by Haas on Friday in which he expressed his intention of committing suicide. Friends will go to Cleveland to drive the man's car back to Titusville. The case is one of mystery and it is believed that the fellow is still alive. He was employed in the TNT plant at Geneva and his disappearance has greatly roused his friends.

Religious Census Under Way: Will Start Here Next Week

The complete religious census of Warren, North Warren and vicinity, being conducted under direction of the Warren Religious Council, participated in by all congregations of all faiths: Roman Catholic, Protestant, Baptist, Hebrew, Christian Science, Y. M. C. A., Y. W. C. A., etc., is already under way at North Warren this week and will be taken throughout Warren next week January 25th to February 1st.

The North Warren-Venturetown and vicinity survey is under regional chairman Gerald Ricker's direction. George Monroe is chairman for the region east of the Conewango Creek in Warren. Kenneth W. Davis is in charge of that west of the creek, including South Side and Pleasant.

Census cards have been specially printed for the Warren Religious Census of 1943. Solicitation will be at residence and not at place of business. Cards provide for either individuals or households; names, addresses, church affiliation or preference, etc. This religious survey will be as complete as humanly possible to make it. A long-needed project, it is an essential initial step in the community-wide effort toward the furtherance of the religious life of the community. War years have affected marked shifts in population in Warren, with many

Cold Wave Sweeps Over This Section

Western Pennsylvania during the past 24 hours has undergone a thorough going over at the hands of the Weather man who turned on a varied assortment of shivers and chills. Snow fell, was swirled over roads and sidewalks and caused some drifts along highways. High winds blew shifting the snow into nooks and crannies and Old Boreas evidently had all hands at work putting out his blasts. The mercury sank rapidly as the full force of the storm broke and last evening the thermometers just let nature take its course and the records about town show anywhere from zero to several points below. The highways which had been covered with water and slush as a result of the thaw of a few days ago soon were covered with ice making driving dangerous. Sinders were used by the highway department and city crews and roads and streets were made as safe as possible.

Busers were belated in their schedules due to the ice on the roads and the cross country buses were far off time. During the past few weeks the bus drivers have been called upon to use all their skill in tooling the big machines over the roads. The ban on pleasure driving has cut down the car traffic on the highways to almost nothing and this undoubtedly is the reason there have been no serious accidents reported on the slippery, icy highways.

Plumbers this morning had many hurry-up calls due to pipes being frozen as the wind sent the cold air into cellars causing many pipes to become frozen. No serious damage is reported from bursting pipes and the firemen had no calls as the result of thawing pipes.

War Classes In Full Swing At Marienville

According to Millard Weber, of Marienville, secretary for the War Production Training Classes in metal work and electricity, supervised by the Jenkins township school district, classes in metal craft and electricity started on January 13 with an enrollment of 15 and 18 respectively. These two classes at Marienville are giving excellent training to the men and women who are pursuing the courses.

John Shipe, an electrician, is the teacher of the electricity course. In this course are both men and women. This marks the first time in this area in which a mixed group has attended. However, according to P. R. Bartholme, vocational adviser, it is one of the best electricity classes that he has had the opportunity to observe. In this class they are studying both theory and practical application, even to the extent of solving problems which are of such difficulty that it would be difficult for many people with a college education to work. It is also interesting to note that every member in this class in electricity is at least a high school graduate. Mr. Shipe is to be congratulated on the success of his class.

In the metal craft class, Dean Gettig, a welder, has been engaged as instructor and is very capable performing his duties. This class was also outstanding in its interest, subject matter taught and skills learned. Mr. Gettig has very capably succeeded in instructing his students in skills of metal craft and is teaching such things as drilling, shaping, repair of tractor, truck and farm machinery parts which include repair welding and etc. It may be interesting to note that many students who have completed Mr. Gettig's course previously have been immediately placed in industry. Mr. Gettig is to be congratulated on the success of his class.

Experience has proven that practice makes perfection and not theoretical study alone. Therefore, the courses are taught along practical lines with only the necessary theory needed in each particular course. Those completing these courses will be issued certificates to verify the art of practical experience. It is not intended that one course of ten weeks will make a perfect electrician or metal craftsman, but it will give the foundation or working knowledge of a trade.

Mr. Shipe and Mr. Gettig have had a varied and valuable education in each of their trades and have proven their ability during the past courses and that they are qualified to give this instruction.

Anyone in the vicinity of Marienville who has electrical or metal items which need repair should contact either of these two men and if it is possible to repair them in either of these two classes by the students of the instruction will be more than pleased to do this work for you. The only cost would be repair parts which

Leaders of the districts and the workers who will participate in the actual census meet Friday evening at 7:30 at the Y. W. C. A. for final instructions. Dr. J. A. Davidson has been asked by the committee to outline the objectives and desired procedures for the census at that meeting.

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Owing to increased cost of living and loss of customers going into the armed forces, we, the undersigned, will raise our prices commencing Thursday, January 21st, this week, to the following:

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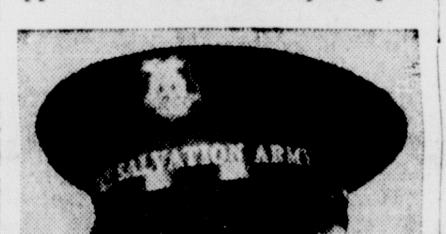
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Salvation Army Official Well Known Here Is Transferred

Commissioner E. I. Pugmire has announced the farewell of Brigadier William G. Harris, Commander of The Salvation Army for the Western Pennsylvania District, with headquarters at Pittsburgh.

The Brigadier has been responsible for the forty-five Centers of work in the twenty-six counties of western Pennsylvania for the last two and one-half years. He is now appointed to the Principalship of



the Eastern Officers' Training College in New York City and director of all field operations for Metropolitan New York. He will be leaving Pittsburgh early in February.

It was during World War No. 1, while serving with the R. A. F. in France, that Brigadier Harris made a vow to God that if he "came through" he would endeavor to make his life count in service to God and humanity. After the War, The Salvation Army was first to open the door of service and he became a Salvation Army Officer.

From that point his career has taken him around the world.

National Forest Property (Cordwood) For Sale

Sealed bids will be received by the Forest Supervisor at Warren, Pennsylvania, up to 2:00 p. m., January 28, 1943, for unpeeled cordwood suitable for pulpwood, chemical wood and fuelwood located in Jones Township, Elk County, Pennsylvania, Allegheny National Forest, along State Highway Route No. 948, about five miles southeast of DeYoung Post Office, stacked in piles along the highway or woods roads over which heavy trucks can travel, estimated to be 1200 cords, more or less, with approximately 200 cords to be made available per month beginning about February 15, 1943, the actual number of cords to be disposed of depending upon the continued availability of labor to prepare it. No bid will be considered of less than \$4.30 per unit or cord of wood measuring 4 ft. x 8 ft. x 48 inches; \$4.40 per unit or cord of wood measuring 4 ft. x 8 ft. x 50 inches; \$4.50 per unit or cord of wood measuring 4 ft. x 8 ft. x 52 inches; and \$5.10 per unit or cord of wood measuring 4 ft. x 8 ft. x 60 inches. Five Hundred Dollars must be submitted with each bid to be applied to the purchase price, refunded or retained in part as liquidated damages, according to conditions of the sale. The right to reject any and all bids is reserve. Before bids are submitted, a prospective bidder should inspect the exact location and loading conditions. Full information concerning the wood, conditions of sale, and submission of bids should be obtained from the Forest Supervisor at Warren, Pennsylvania, or from the District Ranger at Marienville, Pennsylvania. 1-20-11 sell.

Obituary

L.T. ANDREW SEVOK, JR.

Final rites in memory of Lt. Andrew Sevok, Jr., of the Army Air Force, will be held tomorrow, with a prayer service at one o'clock at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Sevok, Pittsford R. D., and a service at two o'clock at the Greek Rite Catholic church in Sheffield. Military honors at the grave in the church cemetery will be in charge of the Halkgren-Wilcox Post, American Legion of Youngsville.

DORIS H. CARLSON

Funeral services will be held at three o'clock Thursday afternoon in Endicott, N. Y., for Mrs. Doris Hazeltine Carlson, who died there Monday. Interment will take place in that city.

Mrs. Carlson, aged 45, was the widow of Henry Carlson and daughter of the late William and Mary Hutchinson Hazeltine, formerly of Warren. She died at 11:50 p. m. Monday in the Ideal Hospital in Endicott after a short illness. She leaves a brother, Esmond Hazeltine, of Sunbury; one niece, two nephews and several cousins.

MRS. CHARLES B. MARSH
Funeral services of Mrs. Charles B. Marsh will be held at 2:30 p. m. Tuesday at her home, 115 Prospect street, conducted by Rev. Harold Knappenberger, pastor of Grace Methodist church. Bearers for interment in Oakland cemetery were William Smith, Andrew Nelson, Harold Putnam, Dexter Marsh, John Yaggie and Robert Marsh.

Those who came from away to attend the rites were her daughter, Mrs. Raymond Blakney, Williams-town, Mass.; Robert Marsh, Cleveland, O.; Ralph Marsh, Detroit, Mich.; Mrs. Donald Pratt, Kinzua.

WAY EARL CURRIE
Way Earl Currie, 308 Madison avenue, passed away at the Warren General Hospital at 1:35 a. m. today. He was born in Youngsville on April 29, 1887, and resided there before coming to Warren. He had been employed for the past five years by the National Forge and Ordnance Company at Irvine. He was a member of Stillwater Lodge, No. 547, F. and A. M., at Sugar Grove, and of the Concordist Consistory.

Besides his wife, Maude L. Currie, he leaves a son, Earl J., in Philadelphia, and a daughter, Mrs. Garney M. Pedersen, of Warren. Removal has been made to the Lutz Funeral Home, where friends may call at any time and from where services will be held at 2:30 p. m. Friday. Rev. J. C. Wygant will officiate and interment will be made in the Youngsville cemetery.

AT THE HOSPITAL
Admitted Tuesday
Mrs. Mildred Hendrickson, Youngsville.
Charles Black, Youngsville.
Benjamin Firth, Russell.
Arthur White, Youngsville.
Mrs. Selma Hanchett, Watson Memorial Home.
George Grinnell, Sheffield.

Discharged Tuesday
Jack McCanna, Youngsville.
Mrs. Martha Sampson, Conewango avenue ext.
Mrs. Josephine Meleen and baby, Youngsville.
Mrs. Lydia Highhouse, R. D. 4, Warren.
Mrs. June Faul and baby, Sheffield.
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Man Fined For Starving Farm Horse

Harry Reese, former resident of East Branch but who for some time has been doing war work in a Titusville plant is a prisoner in the Warren county jail. Reese was arrested at Titusville yesterday on a charge of cruelty to animals preferred by Sheriff W. C. Stuart and his deputy, L. E. Linder, who alleged that Reese left a horse to starve at his former home in East Branch. Reese this morning entered a plea of guilty before Justice of the Peace T. Richard Evans and was fined \$10 and costs. In default of payment of the amount he was sent to the Warren county jail.

The warrant for the man's arrest was sent to Titusville and after the man returned to his home after his day's work he was picked up and brought to Warren.

Coupon 3 Not Valid After January 21st

Tomorrow is the last day of the use of Coupon No. 3 in gasoline ration A books and Friday Ration banking (for dealers only) becomes effective.

Other dates of interest which persons are asked to remember are:

Jan. 22—First day for use of No. 4 coupons in gasoline A books.

Jan. 27—Ration banking becomes effective. (This is for dealers only).

Jan. 30—Last day for use of Coupon 10 in War Ration Book I for three pounds of sugar.

Feb. 1—First day for use of Coupon 11 in War Ration Book I for sugar.

Feb. 6—Last day for use of Coupon 28 in War Ration Book I for one pound of coffee.

Feb. 8—First day for use of Coupon 25 in War Ration Book I for coffee. If conditions are favorable, coffee may come sooner.

Feb. 27—Last day for tire inspection for holders of B and C gasoline books.

March 30—Last day for tire inspection, holders of A gasoline books. (Don't wait till the last minute. Get it done early and easy.)

Delinquents Are Listed By Draft Board

Draft Board No. 1 has listed two delinquents as having failed to report for service. The listings are made in connection with the national wide campaign to clear up delinquencies under the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940, as amended.

The delinquents when listed have appeared with their names all known addresses which they have used. The first is John Thomas Page, 307 McPherson street, Warren, Pa., and also Willis Point, Texas. The second is Lynn Eddy Paquin, Lincoln Apartments, Brooklyn Square, Jamestown, N. Y.; 609 W. 4th street, Jamestown, N. Y.; Hotel Windsor, E. Second street, Jamestown, N. Y.; care, George W. Hebrner, Russell, Pa.; care, A. D. Paquin, Boston, N. Y.

The publication of these delinquents is in line with the ruling that on and after February 1, 1943 every man who has been subject to registration six months or longer must have in his possession at all times both his certificate of registration and his notice of classification or be subject to arrest. The campaign will be under way February 1st, and every man should know that unless he has complied with the requirements he may get into trouble.

PASSES NAVY EXAM

James Munksgard, second son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Munksgard to enter the armed forces, passed his final examination for the U. S. Navy Tuesday in Buffalo, N. Y., and has been assigned to Sampson, N. Y., for basic training. Word has been received from his brother, Chester, that he has been transferred to a new location, probably in the South Pacific area, after having been on New Zealand for some months. A technical sergeant, he is head mechanic in his battalion.

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P. T. A. News

SENECA UNIT
The Seneca School Parent Teachers Association will meet this evening at 8 o'clock. The speaker will be F. H. Hetrick, who will take for his topic, "The Quarterly Review of the News".

LACY UNIT
Frances Peterson led group singing to open the January meeting of Lacy PTA Tuesday evening and after a business session an entertaining program was presented. Pupils of the sixth grade sang three numbers, "All Through the Night", "O Sole Mio" and "Swing Low, Sweet Chariot". A clarinet quartet composed of Virginia Johnson, Beth Smith, Billy Blair and John Knapp played "Minuet" and Virginia Johnson was accompanied by Arlyene McLaughlin for a clarinet solo, "The Spinning Wheel". Andrew Thompson showed movies, "A Trip Through California" and "Bombs Over Europe".

WASHINGTON UNIT
At the January business meeting of Washington PTA, conducted by President Mrs. Hugh McClellan in the Tiona School building, it was voted to continue the purchase of fountain pens for soldiers leaving for the armed forces. An article from the national president was read, urging that members keep up their units and their social gatherings as a morale builder. Films were then enjoyed and a lunch served. Announcement was made that a meeting of the executive committee will be held at the home of the president on January 28.

COMING AND GOING

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Elmqvist, 405 Liberty street, are leaving this evening for Atlantic City, N. J., to visit the latter's brother, Sgt. Townsend Cook, stationed there with the Army Air Force Band.

Miss Margaret Alexander is spending a few days in New York City in the interests of the Davidson Company.

Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Crane, of North Warren, are leaving this evening to spend two weeks in Atlanta, Ga., with the former's mother, Mrs. Virginia Crane, and to visit their daughter, Miss Patty who is engaged in secretarial work for the Southern Bell Telephone Company.

Many Cases Handled By Local Nurse

Reporting at the annual business meeting on her activities in the year just closed, the nurse of the Warren Visiting Nursing Association showed a total of 350 cases handled, 126 of these being new in 1942.

Chronic medical led all types with 272 and acute medical was second with 54. Others were surgical 11, communicable 2, tuberculosis 1, maternity 16, new-born 13 and sunshine lamp 11.

Besides 534 office and telephone calls and 26 sunshine lamp treatments given, she made 1,324 nursing visits, 89 social service and welfare calls, 103 maternity and new-born calls, 14 calls at night and 12 on Sunday for a total of 1,542.

Her special activities included assistance with 51 health clinics, where there were 126 new babies registered and 372 returned from previous visits; 39 new children of pre-school age and 221 returns. In this connection, she made 59 child welfare home visits, gave toxoid to 24 and vaccinated four children.

Attendance at seven Healing Art meetings was also listed, together with visits to three Warren Relief Association board meetings, one call in the interests of the proposed day nursery at the Woman's Club and one meeting of the Needlework Guild.

SOLDIER GUILTY OF MANSLAUGHTER

Harrisburg, Jan. 20.—(P)—Convicted by a Dauphin county jury of voluntary manslaughter in the death of Mrs. Mabel A. Harris, 73, last Oct. 1, Private Steve Gosciski, 28, Washington, Pa., today awaited his attorneys' decision on whether to ask for a new trial.

The verdict was returned yesterday after the jury had deliberated for five and a half hours. District Attorney Carl B. Shelley had asked for a first degree murder verdict. Court officials said the penalty for voluntary manslaughter in Pennsylvania is a maximum of twelve years.

Unless a motion for a new trial is made within three days, the soldier will be called for sentence, court attaches explained.

TIMES TOPICS

COMMUNION SERVICE
The regular Holy Communion service will be observed at ten o'clock Thursday morning in Trinity Memorial Episcopal church.

CLEANS CHIMNEYS
Elsewhere in this issue appears an ad for cleaning and repairing chimneys and furnaces. With the weather so cold, it pays to keep the chimney free from soot. Call Harry Foukrod.

TIONA POSTMISTRESS
Miss Anna E. Bruno, who has been acting postmistress at the Tiona post office for the past two months, has received her commission as permanent postmistress, her many friends will be glad to learn.

DIES IN YOUNGSTOWN
Word has been received here that John Mendejik, resident of Sheffield for 56 years, passed away in the South Side Hospital at Youngstown, O., at 12:50 p. m. Tuesday. Exactly one month ago he had the misfortune to fall and receive severe injuries from which he never recovered.

ATTENDS FUNERAL
Mrs. F. L. Plummer, 108 Jackson avenue, is expected home this evening from Mount Sterling, O., where she was called by the death of her mother, Mrs. Etta Leach. Mrs. Leach passed away last Saturday and funeral services were held on Tuesday.

NON-COM TO BE NAMED
The second January meeting of the Pennsylvania Reserve Defense Corps Auxiliary will be held Friday, Jan. 22 at 7:30 p. m. At this meeting appointment of part of the non-commissioned officers will be announced and dates for the February meetings discussed. Car owners may drive to this meeting but they should double up as though driving to work wherever possible. All members are urged to be present.

TO HOLD INQUEST
A coroner inquest will be held in the small court room at the court house Thursday evening at seven o'clock in the death of Lloyd Alford, Union City man, who died last month as a result of a collision between a car he was driving and a truck operated by Albert Pitts, of Bradford, and owned by Peter Pecora. The accident occurred near the Airport Inn between Youngsville and Pittsfield on the evening of December 8th, the victim passing away in the local hospital a short time later.

HIKE-DINNER PLANS
The Allegheny Hiking Club's 100th different trip next Sunday afternoon will be a record in attendance for this year, according to reservations being made for the dinner to be held at the Carver House following the hike. Those planning to attend are reminded that this will be a comparatively short and easy hike and those who cannot attend the hike may come to the dinner anyway. Members of the club who wish to enjoy the program of colored pictures following the dinner.

FILM OF INTEREST
Following the training class held in the High School last evening a showing was given of one of the films put out by the Office of War Information and distributed through the Councils of Defense. The film was highly interesting and gave the audience some idea of what bombing means in this war. The films are being shown to schools and clubs this week throughout the county and it is expected that a film committee will handle the schedule for films in the county and that each month a number of the films will be brought to the county and run on a regularly organized schedule among the schools, clubs, PTA groups and others in the county.

BOTTLE IS FOUND
Most Warren business places display in a prominent place one of the Warren Relief Association's penny collection bottles "For the Baby, the Milkman Missed". Officers of the agency have been advised that the container, believed lost in the fire which destroyed the interior of the Blue and White Restaurant some months ago has come to light and was found to contain more than \$3 in change. Milk purchases during the year is one of the outstanding services of this organization and its officials were greatly pleased with this unexpected windfall, particularly when many containers have been showing a certain decline in recent weeks.

NEED STILL EXISTS
David Levine, of the Unemployment Office, suggests that with the further drafting of man power the need of trained women workers will increase by leaps and bounds. To that end he urges that all women possible enroll with his office for training. The training costs nothing and the women learn skills that otherwise they could not receive. Employers of Warren are adding more and more women to their payrolls and the women receive the same pay as men in similar work. Women are being placed almost every day by the Unemployment Office and Mr. Levine is seeking to create a reservoir of woman power that can be utilized within the next few months.

TINY GIFT SHOP SALE
In preparation for redecorating Shop, we are offering 14 off on all merchandise priced from \$1.00 up, including Bags, Pictures, Glassware, Pottery, Trays, Jewelry, Novelties, etc. 2 Tables of Gifts at 25c and 50c. Thursday, Friday and Saturday, 1-20-2t.

Bradford, Vt., was the site of the first factory for the manufacture of terrestrial and celestial globes, in 1813.

Society News

Betty Smith Pupils In Pleasing Recital

On Sunday afternoon pupils of Mrs. Betty Smith, Water street, presented an inspiring program of songs before an audience of invited guests. The singers appeared in chorus for the beginning and closing of the program, using "Gesu Bambino" by Yon, "Sandman am a Comin'" an adaptation of Dvorak's "Humoreske" and "O Happy Sleep" by Woodman. These choruses were beautifully balanced with fine shading and intelligent interpretation. Mrs. Smith conducted with Miss Evelyn Samuelson at the piano.

In their solo appearances each singer evidenced thorough training. Especially notable in several voices was the rich depth of the lower tones, while in others the loveliness of well supported high tones brought real enjoyment. The repertoire ranged in difficulty from lighter songs such as "Sylvia" by Speaks to the magnificent aria "How Could I Have Slumbered" from "Der Freischutz" by von Weber. Mrs. Smith's accompaniments were clearly the style of an accompanist of long experience.

Pupils appearing on the program were Anne Harrington, Jean Seaman, Bob Bonace, Kathleen Simmons, Anna Nichols, Lillian Ristau, Dwight Thompson, Melinda Olsen, Virginia Fredericksen, Ruth Ackert, Mary Sigworth and Carolyn Huber.

At the conclusion of the program, delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Smith and her aides.

Social Events

BLUE STOCKING CLUB
Blue Stocking Club members were entertained Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. E. H. Beshlin, with Mrs. Robert Winger assisting. After Miss Ethel Morris, president, had conducted a brief business meeting, a paper on "Education for Democracy" was given by Mrs. Norbert Peterson.

Starting with formation of the Pennsylvania Society for Promotion of Common Schools in 1830, the subject was carried through the Free School Act of 1834 and the final establishment of public schools in 1865, up to the present era of student government, Parent-Teacher groups and adult education in the school system. Every step in the development stressed the importance of education for the country's citizens.

Closing, the hostesses served tea, with Mrs. Peterson and Mrs. Brackett Ayers at the attractive tea table.

The next meeting will be February 1 with Mrs. S. D. Blackman and Miss Mabel Abbott as hostesses.

TIONA COUPLE HAVE 56TH ANNIVERSARY
Although no formal celebration is planned, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Bean, of Tiona, will welcome calls from their friends on Thursday, occasion of their 56th wedding anniversary.

The Beans, wed 56 years ago in Falconer, N. Y., have spent all their married life in Tiona. Mr. Bean worked for many years for the South Penn Oil Company before retiring a few years ago. They have five children: Mrs. William Erickson, Warren; Mrs. Lee Wilson, Gerry, N. Y.; Mrs. Herman Hannold, Tiona; Earl Bean, Albany, Texas, and Orville Bean, Artesia, N. M.

EVANGELICAL AID
The Ladies' Aid of the First Evangelical church will meet at 2:30 Thursday in the Folkman parlors for devotions, a talk by Rev. J. C. Wygant and a social time. The hostesses, Mrs. Walter North and Mrs. Fred Shattuck, invite all members and friends.

CLARENDON WSCS
The Clarendon Methodist WSCS held its first meeting of the new year Tuesday evening, the 29 persons present including guests from the young women's auxiliaries. Devotions were conducted by Mrs. Ruth Barnes, after which Pastor Jesse Knapp installed newly elected officers. Mrs. Edna Reed conducted the business session, when plans were made for

the coming year. To conclude, refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Grace McBride, Mrs. Mary White, Mrs. Edna Rader and Mrs. Ruth Barnes. The next meeting will be February 26 with Mrs. Clara Nielsen.

FOR RECENT BRIDE
Miss Mildred Kirberger was hostess at her home, 208 Lexington avenue, for a miscellaneous shower which honored Mrs. John Caldwell, who before her recent marriage was Miss Margaret Carlson.

Concluding a very pleasant evening, a delicious buffet lunch was served, after which the honored guest was presented with lovely gifts from the following: Jean Peterson, Phyllis Hathaway, Virginia Anderson, Betty Fouché, Jeanne Hammerbeck, Jennie Massa, Joyce Maze, Gladys Kirberger, Miriam Gordon, Jeanne, Highhouse, Mary Ann Lundmark and the hostess.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY
The Women's Missionary Society of the Salem Evangelical church will meet Thursday evening for its monthly business and social session.

ANNOUNCEMENT PARTY
Miss Sue Kessler, of Youngwood, Pa., entertained on Saturday, January 16, in honor of Miss Mary Holden, announcing her engagement to George E. Senger, son of Mr. and Mrs. George F. Senger, of Warren.

Miss Holden is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Holden, 117 Plum street, Greenville, and Mrs. Holden was a guest at the party. Miss Holden, now employed in Youngwood, was formerly on the Sugar Grove High School faculty

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PHC MEETING
PHC members will have their regular meeting at seven o'clock Thursday evening in the March of Dimes rooms, followed by a series of games for the public.

SHAKESPEARE CLUB
Shakespeare Club members were entertained at the Woman's Club Tuesday evening by Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Deardorff and Mrs. E. G. Hamilton.

About 7.5 per cent of the 1940 total steel ingot production of 66,650,000 tons in the United States was alloy steel ingots.

AT WOMAN'S CLUB
Woman's Club members heard a fine talk on the home service work of the American Red Cross at the January meeting of the Community Service Department, presenting Miss Helen Lauffenburger as guest speaker.

Miss Dorothy Newell, department chairman, was in charge of the business session and made an

EPWORTH AUXILIARY
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RATION BOOK NO. 2

Some timely information regarding ration book number two is contained in the editorial written for the Times-Mirror and NEA Service by S. Burton Heath, which follows:

Point rationing is scheduled to be inaugurated soon, after the present ration book has been replaced by a more comprehensive, more flexible substitute.

The new No. 2 book may appear complicated at first and its use with a point system undoubtedly will lead to temporary misunderstandings and irritations.

Therefore it is important that we approach the revised rationing setup with comprehension and tolerance, recognizing that the scheme takes full advantage of mistakes made by other nations who were forced to precede us in broad-scale rationing.

Much of the apparent complexity really is on the surface. After the first week or two of use there should be nothing left to gripe about except the shortages themselves, and neither the OPA nor your storekeepers created those. Blame a paperhanger named Hitler, a stuffed shirt named Mussolini, a phony god named Hirohito.

The expression "point system" means just this:

There are a great many foodstuffs which are interchangeable. For instance, it is a matter of taste and convenience whether you have corn, peas, stringbeans, spinach, beets, or some other vegetable. You may at the moment think that peas would be nice. But peas are scarce and there is a relatively plentiful supply of corn available. You have a fixed number of "points" to spend on canned fruits and vegetables. Because peas are scarce, a can will cost you more points than would a can of corn. You take your choice. Probably you select the corn, or something else that won't use up too many points.

Thus the OPA will be enabled to conserve the scarcer items to concentrate attention on the more plentiful, without frequently changing the value of the overall ration ticket—as has been necessary with gasoline, for which there is no substitute.

Meanwhile the housewife is free to exercise her choice. Unlike the British woman, she can trade wherever she wishes. She is reasonably certain that, month after month, she can obtain all the fruits and vegetables she really needs.

The system is not perfect, the OPA admits. But experience in other countries, with refinements that will suggest themselves to every consumer, has involved an amount of red tape that the American people never would stand.

Let's give point rationing a fair try before we get excited about the irritations that will crop up.

MESSAGE TO SQUAWKERS

((From News Review, Published by the American Automobile Association))

Captain Eddie Rickenbacker, the noted flyer and chairman of the American Automobile Association's Contest Board, is back home again.

He brought with him a tale of privation and heroism on an open raft in the Pacific; a plea to workers in the war production plants to step up the rate of output; and a message of scorn for the civilians on the home front who have complained about the necessity for submitting to rationing.

After telling of the hardships of the men fighting in the steaming islands of the Southwest Pacific, Capt. Rickenbacker said:

"The cry and objection to being rationed on rubber and gasoline seems so insignificant, so ridiculous, when you see what the boys at the front have got.

"Take a single old rubber tire. There's enough rubber in that to make up two or three of the rafts of the kind we were in out there on the Pacific. If only our people back home could know what our boys are doing both for us and for future generations! We on the home front, three to six thousand miles away from all the hellholes of mud and fire, would take this war a lot more seriously."

CHANCE FOR WARREN WIDOW

Here's an editorial comment that is going the rounds of papers in the area which we believe is worth reprinting:

Now it is certain that the tire situation is growing serious. Here is a classified advertisement that appeared this week in the Leader-Vindicator, New Bethlehem:

Wanted—Owner of 1942 Plymouth, would like to correspond with widow who owns two tires. Object matrimony. Please send picture of tires—address R. A. c-o this office



Washington in Wartime

By JACK STINNETT
WASHINGTON—In less than 72 hours after the opening of the 73rd Congress the temper of that body became apparent.

President Roosevelt's otherwise highly praised message to Congress on "the state of the Nation" was accused of being a bid for a fourth term in 1944.

Rep. Harold Knutson (R-Minn.) touched off a legislative bombshell by introducing a bill which might terminate the reciprocal trade treaties now existing between this country and 25 other nations and take from the President and the State Department the right to negotiate additional treaties.

Sen. Gerald P. Nye (R-N.D.) demanded an investigation of the food shortage situation, including Lend-Lease allocations.

THE Farm bloc introduced bills or announced legislation in preparation to: (1) Revise parity prices to include increased labor costs; (2) force existing agencies—including the armed forces—to take care of the farm labor shortage; (3) open the door on farm machinery, now closed because of priorities.

The self-announced appointment of Ed Flynn, national Democratic committee chairman, to become a minister to Australia brought immediate challenge that he would be investigated before his appointment was ratified—if it was.

The anti-poll tax bill was revived. The silver-bloc opponents,

reintroduced bills which not only would make treasury-held silver available for war and commercial purposes, but would repeal outright the Silver Act under which the Government purchases all available silver.

SENATOR VANDENBERG (R-Mich.) asserted an airing of the muddled Puerto Rico situation by introducing a bill to limit the tenure of the governor there to two years. Others introduced bills to investigate the food shortage and political aspects of our Caribbean outpost government. If the Senator's bill were passed, Gov. Rexford Guy Tugwell would have to be reappointed and his reappointment confirmed by the Senate after investigation of his regime.

Investigation of Lend-Lease became almost a certainty. Fire was centered on Harry Hopkins, chief spokesman for and representative of the President in Lend-Lease matters.

Forces were gathering also for an attack on that \$25,000 net limitation on salaries.

Bills were introduced to overthrow some Administration labor legislation—notably to lengthen the work week, outlaw strikes in war industries, and prevent racketeering in labor unions.

Sen. W. Lee O'Daniel (D-Texas) reintroduced his anti-labor union bills and revived his drive to forbid the sale of liquor near military camps.

It looks like a merry time for this 73rd Congress.

HOME SERVICE Chats

by Helen G. Davis
Home Service Director, Your Gas Company

VICTORY LUNCH BOXES

Help Keep Workers Up To Par and On the Job

One of the most neglected, yet most important, meals of a work-ingman's day is his lunch.

Instead of giving him a few as-sorted odds and ends—just a "snack"—plan his lunch in rela-tion to the other meals of the day. A man who does hard work needs a generous supply of energy foods.

Sandwiches, of course, are basic. They can not only be substantial, which he needs, but they can also be tasty and contain all the im-portant food elements for a bal-anced menu.

You can prepare such sand-wiches with meat, cheese, fish, vegetable and meat, egg and egg combination, peanut butter, liver loaf and dried fruit fillings. By all means, cook your meats rather than to use ready-prepared meats, and make up your sandwich-filling variation.

You can vary the bread, too—rye, whole wheat, enriched white, raisin, homemade Boston, or nut bread.

Use softened butter to spread on bread, because you use less and it helps to prevent a moist filling.

YEARS AGO IN WARREN

Interesting Items Taken From The Warren Evening Times

In 1923
Plans are being made by the Warren County Good Roads As-sociation for a banquet to be held here for Paul Wright, of Erie, newly appointed State Super-intendent of Highways.

Directors of the Warren County Fair Association at a meeting last evening decided to stage a great show next fall. A dog show may be a feature of the affair.

Paul Weston, who recently re-signed his post at the State Hos-pital will be the honor guest at a banquet to be staged this evening by the County Medical So-cety.

The heavy snow storm of last night impeded traffic in the whole city this morning. The street cars had difficulty in making their trips and the Conewago car could only get as far as Frank street on its first two trips.

The big snow tied up traffic on the Sheffield and Tionesta rail-road and trips over the line had to be cancelled. Snow plows are at work and it is hoped to get the road open soon.

In 1933
Tomorrow afternoon members of the Philomel Club will go to Jamestown for an exchange pro-gram with the Mozart Club of that city. Mrs. E. L. McPherson is gen-eral chairman of the event.

About 60 Past Grands from the I. O. O. F. lodges of Warren and Forest county met last evening at East Hickory. After a program a sauer kraut and weiner supper was served.

Officials of Warren county are at Columbus today in an effort to locate thieves who raided the farm of Walter Hunt. The rob-bers made way with a case of eggs, automobile tires, gasoline, oil, etc.

In a survey of possible careers among the girls of the Sheffield High School it was found that the nursing profession had more as-pirants than any other.

Twelve young people from this county are arranging to attend the farm show at Harrisburg. Several communities of the county are planning to raise funds to aid the young people to attend the big show and take part in its various contests.

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- ### TODAY'S BIRTHDAY

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Gladys Swanson
Alice Benson
Helen Fuitts
Agnes Yarovore
Mrs. H. H. McKowan
Ted Austin, Jr.
Mrs. Mabel Alexander
John Casper
Glenn Allen McGee
Mrs. Henry Walters
Anthony Moniak
Harry Johnson
Gilbert Johnson
Louise Escobar
Mrs. Joseph Duffy
Eleanor Nelson
Clara Boyd Nielsen
Grace Wood
Milton Schwab
Naomi and Norma Durlin
Ronald Durlin
Ruth Laurence
Mrs. H. R. Henderson

RADIO PROGRAMS

- WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 20
Eastern War Time P.M.—Subtract One Hour for CWT, 2 Hrs. for MWT.
(Changes in programs as listed due to corrections by networks made too late to incorporate.)
- 5:30—Just Plain Bill, Dramatic—nbc
 - 6:00—The Jack Armstrong Serial—blu-east
 - 6:30—Dance Band from Chicago—blu-west
 - 7:00—Are You a Genius Quiz—cbs-basic
 - 7:30—Serial Series for the Kiddies—nbc
 - 8:00—Front Page Farrell Serial—nbc
 - 8:30—Captain Midnight's Serial—blu-east
 - 9:00—The Ben Bernie Musical Show—cbs
 - 9:30—Junior Newscaster for Children—nbc
 - 10:00—Edna Lindgo, Varieties—cbs
 - 10:30—To Be Announced (15 mins.)—blu
 - 11:00—Hunt, News Spot—cbs-basic
 - 11:30—Tribulations from Chicago—cbs
 - 12:00—Prayer, Comment on the War—nbc
 - 12:30—John Sebastian, His Harmonica—nbc
 - 1:00—Rhythm Ensemble of St. Louis—nbc
 - 1:30—The Kohn Kobbler Band—nbc
 - 2:00—Jack Armstrong's repeat—blu-west
 - 2:30—The War Overseas—Dance Orchestra—nbc
 - 3:00—Bill Stern and Sports Spot—nbc
 - 3:30—Lowell Thomas on News—blu-east
 - 4:00—Captain Midnight's repeat—blu-west
 - 4:30—World and War News of Today—cbs
 - 5:00—Fred W. Smith's Army vs. Navy—blu
 - 5:30—Amos 'n' Andy Serial Skit—cbs-basic
 - 6:00—Edna Lindgo, Varieties—cbs
 - 6:30—The Johnson Family, A Serial—nbc
 - 7:00—Harry James & His Orchestra—cbs
 - 7:30—The Matropolitan Opera, U.S.A.—blu
 - 8:00—Easy Aces, Dramatic Serial—nbc
 - 8:30—Dancing Music Orchestra—nbc
 - 9:00—Arthur Hale's News Comment—nbc
 - 9:30—Raymond G. Seeling's Comment—blu
 - 10:00—First Lady, U.S. Navy Prog.—cbs
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 - 11:00—Gracie Hildebrand and Comedy—blu
 - 11:30—Dance Orchestra for 15 minutes—nbc
 - 12:00—March of Time's Review—nbc
 - 12:30—Fifteen Minute Talks Broadcast—nbc
 - 1:00—Paul Schubert's War Analysis—nbc
 - 1:30—Mary Smith and Her Songs—cbs
 - 2:00—Dance Music Orchestra, Tunes—nbc
 - 2:30—News for 15 Minutes—nbc-east
 - 3:00—The Fred Waring repeat—nbc-west
 - 3:30—News and Dance (2 hrs.)—blu & cbs
 - 4:00—Comment: Dance Music (2 hrs.)—nbc
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Letters to the Editor

Warren, January 18, 1943
Editor, Times-Mirror,
Dear Ed (itor):
Letters from readers recently published in your paper question-ing the receiving of American Red Cross food packages by American forces who have fallen into enemy hands interests me, and to sub-stantiate the American Red Cross work in this line I would like to explain to the few doubters how well the American Red Cross fed some of us who were unfortunate on the western front in 1918.

While these food packages may not reach the recently captured prisoners close to the fighting front, they DO reach Americans in prison camps, and I am a liv-ing, walking example of the gen-erosity and organization of the American Red Cross.

Some few of us were captured by the Jerries in late August and for about six weeks had prac-tically nothing to eat. I distinctly re-member five days and night ride in a '40 and 8" when I had no dipper of gruel during the trip. (The Jerries didn't have much more either). About October first arriving at Rastatt, Baden, (near Stuttgart) at the war prisoners camp we found Americans there being supplied once each week with a wooden box (about 8x10x12 inches) solid packed with food-stuffs. One box to each man, each week. This usually contained 1 lb. dried beans, 1 lb. rice, 1 lb. dried prunes or apricots, can of corned beef or salmon, box of hard tack, small sack of coffee, cocoa, sugar, can of condensed milk, dried rais-ins, small sack of flour, cake soap, sack of smoking tobacco and cig-arette papers. (We were all proud of the large American flag that we made of cotton tobacco sacks). Every box was a treat and thor-oughly appreciated. We did our cooking in salvaged tin cans over open fires in a nearby yard; a large size good tin can was a prize find and carefully cared for. I still have a pewter spoon that was used there—one of the few spoons in a whole barracks. We will never know how many lives were saved by that food, espe-cially to build strength through the flu epidemic that ran rampant that fall.

We had a camp organization, having elected Sergeant Hallibur-ton (a Kentuckian) as command-er and a Sergeant Gehagen of Chicago as vice-commander. The food boxes were shipped by sealed railroad car via Berne and Basle,

Switzerland and way-billed to Hal-liburton who receipted for the car. Willing workers unloaded to a wagon which was pulled and pushed to the camp. As many of our men were captured during the summer with little clothing on their backs, a limited amount of American uniforms also came to us this same way to outfit the needy as cold weather came. Ship-ments arrived each and every week until camp pulled out on December 8, 1918. Then the American Red Cross supplied the price on take us back to France. It was in charge of the Swiss army and we returned through Basle (where the American Red Cross breakfasted every ex-prisoner and filled our pockets with Swiss chocolates for the trip across Switzerland through Berne, Geneva and Lausanne and on to Vichy, France.

The American Red Cross was successful in its efforts. Every work in 1918 and deserves every bit of support in its work today.

Cordially,
Bill Cannon,
ex-Sergeant 112th Infantry
28th Division
(1917-1919)

GRANGE NEWS

FARMINGTON UNIT
Lloyd F. Wilcox installed the newly elected officers at the last meeting of Farmington Grange at Lander and it was voted, that be-cause of the conservation pro-gram, there would be but one meeting a month for February, March and April, these to take place on the fourth Thursday evenings. The next session is sched-uled for February 25.

It was voted to send plants to two sick members, Mrs. LaVern Hinsdale and Mrs. Lynn Burgett. A report of the service club com-mittee was given by Mrs. Hazel Kays, showing 40 Christmas boxes sent out and a donation received recently from the Thompson Hill Club. Tuna supper was enjoyed at the close of the meeting.

Automobile industries are turning out guns — high complicated and precision-made to the tens-of-thousandths of an inch—in-cluding big 90-millimeter anti-aircraft guns, the envy of the world.

Our word "menu" comes from the Latin "minuere," meaning "to diminish."

T.H.O.-U-G-H-T-S

For wisdom is better than rubies; and all the things that may be desired are not to be compared to it.—Proverbs 8:11.

Wisdom is the conqueror of fortune.—Juvenal.

The Gremlins



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Farmers Offered Free Course in Care of Farm Machinery

During the past week a Farm machinery course has been approved by officials in Harrisburg and operated in the Western Iron works at Wrightsville. A. C. Estren, a blacksmith who is known all over the country for his workmanship has been engaged as instructor. Classes began January 18 and will be held on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. and will run for three weeks. Anyone in that area who has farm machinery which needs repair can contact Mr. Estren and if it is possible to do so in these classes such repairs as are necessary will be made. With farm machinery as well as repair parts being very scarce and practically impossible to get in many places it is wise if every farmer could spend a part of his time during the next month or two in checking over his farm machinery and making repairs where necessary.

For this class an electric welder has been secured and repair welds to farm machinery and parts can be accomplished. Also farm machines such as: plows, potato planters, cultivators, harrows, both spike tooth and spring tooth can be repaired; such things, as wagon boxes, floats, etc. can be constructed. There is over \$4000.00 worth of tools and equipment available in this shop to perform the necessary repair jobs to farm machinery.

Adjustments of the various farm machines will be taught, such as: setting the depths of plows, giving the correct suction on plows, calibrating corn drills, mower adjustments and alignment disc adjustment so as to get maximum

penetration and ploverization of the soil.

This course is designed to aid the farmer in every possible way in care, repair, operation, construction and adjustment of his present farm machinery in order that they may more efficiently perform the big job of producing "Food For Freedom" this coming year.

In the immediate future classes in farm machinery care and repair will be established in 5 or 6 additional centers in Warren and Forest counties, with the sole purpose of helping the farmer to put his machinery in the best possible shape. The time for these classes will be arranged so as to suit the majority of farmers who are in-terested. Even though farmers are very busy at present it will be a very paying proposition for them to arrange their work so that by taking off a few hours a week now to repair and refit their machines many hours may be saved next summer because their machines will be in good repair and ready for maximum operation. Thus break-downs in the field which will tie up and will hinder both labor and machinery will be avoided.

TIMES TOPICS

LADIES' GYM CLASS

The ladies' gym class at North Warren will begin at eight o'clock this evening in the community house, it is stated today.

FOR EXAMINATION

Larry Barr, Pennsylvania avenue West, was taken to Erie today for a check-up on his right leg which has been under treatment for some time.

CHANGE IN SCHEDULE

Owing to transportation restrictions, Townsend Club No. 2 will hold but one meeting each month, the date to be the first Thursday of each month until further notice, and a tureen dinner to be served to members and invited friends preceding the next regular session.

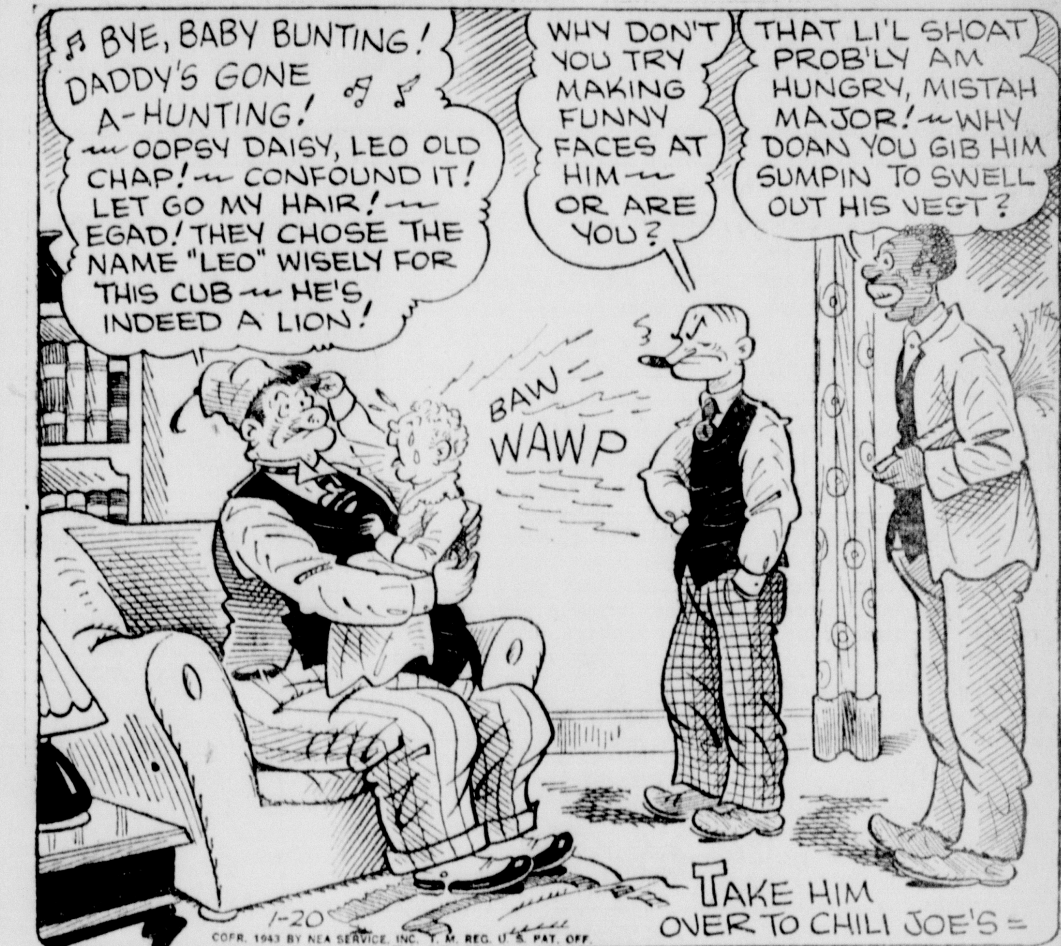
HAS NEW POSITION

Charles B. Shortt, son of Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Shortt, 22 East Third avenue, recent graduate of Case School of Applied Science in Cleveland, has accepted a position with the General Electric Company and is now located in Schenectady, N. Y. Mr. Shortt went to Case School as a junior, having completed two years at Oberlin College, and was granted the bachelor of science degree in mechanical engineering.

OUT OUR WAY By J. R. WILLIAMS



OUR BOARDING HOUSE . . with . . MAJOR HOOPLE



Martin Christensen, of North Warren, has had word that his son, Kenneth M., has been transferred to the flying school at Ellington Field, Texas, having previously trained in Tennessee. A brother, Chester, who enlisted in the air corps some time ago, left Sunday for induction in Tennessee.

Word has been received that Pl. Paul Burke, of North Warren, has been transferred from Fort Bragg, N. C., to Camp Hood, Texas, for two months' maneuvers.

Pvt. Robert Weaver, 111 North South street, has returned to Fort Dix, N. J., after having been called home by the death of his grandmother, Mrs. Alma Weaver.

Cpl. Wilbur Riggs, of Fort Leode, Md., home for a week's furlough with his wife and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Riggs, Pennsylvania avenue, east.

Pvt. William Wolfe, stationed at Norfolk, Va., spent the weekend at home visiting his mother, Mrs. Eleanor Wolfe, 3 Euclid avenue, and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Grillo received word Sunday that their son, Carl, is stationed with an engineering division at Camp Butler, S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Gail Wolfe, 5 Hill street, have had word that their youngest son, Donald, inducted into the army on December 30, is at the tank destroyer battalion at Camp Bove, Texas.

Mrs. Elsie Brown, Jackson Run road, has had word from her son, Jesse E. Campbell, that he was promoted to staff sergeant December 25 at Camp Davis, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. George Siefert, Warren RD 3, received word Monday that their son, Everett Paul, who left with the January 7 Selective Service contingent, has been assigned to Camp Barkley, Texas, for training.

Staff Sgt. Donald D. Gruber is serving with armed forces in North Africa, according to word received from him Saturday. He reports he is fine and that it is ice and warm out there.

Mrs. Bruno Skippano, Walnut street, has received word that her nephew, Pvt. Melville J. Ostertag, has received his mechanic's diploma at the Lincoln Air Base in Nebraska. He is now taking a

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Don't dread another night of coughing, get a bottle of Piso's today and get relief from coughs due to colds.

LOCALLY, Piso's soothing ingredients cling to your throat, quickly ease and relax irritated membranes that are causing coughing spells.

TERNALLY, Piso's stimulates flow of normal throat secretions--loosens phlegm. For coughs due to colds, get your drug for a bottle of Piso's (10¢ a bottle).

PACIFIC PATROL BY ELEANOR ATTERBURY

Call On Carmencita

MARY slung a tweed coat across her shoulders, took advantage of the fact that her mother was engrossed in a telephone conversation to slip out to the garage, climb quickly into her car.

She didn't acknowledge even to herself that she intended to go straight to Carmencita's villa until she turned into the driveway leading to the house. There was just a slim chance that she might learn something to convince her either of Dan's safety--or his romance.

Carmencita showed her into the drawing room and while she called her maid, she motioned Mary to sit down, said something smoothly sibilant that Mary couldn't understand.

The stolid, unsmiling Lena arrived in due time--an interval during which the two girls sat smiling politely at each other exchanging little remarks that meant nothing. Mary thought with a smile, in any language.

"The Senorita says she is sorry she cannot speak your language to tell you how happy and how proud your visit makes her," Lena translated woodenly.

"Tell her, please, that it is I who is sorry not to speak her beautiful tongue," Mary replied courteously. And that was more truth than polite compliment, she added silently. "Will you ask your mistress if she knows where I can leave a message for Lieutenant Sherman. I have an important telegram for him," she fabricated on impulse. "From his Commanding Officer."

"Lieutenant Sherman!" Carmencita echoed. She hesitated a moment. Then, "No! No, Senorita," and to her maid a volume of emphatic Spanish.

"She doesn't know where Lieutenant Sherman is," Lena repeated indifferently. "She hasn't seen him since he was in the hospital."

That instant's hesitation had been long enough for Mary to be sure that Carmencita had been taken off guard. And her saying that she had not seen him since he left the hospital, proved that she was lying. Mary was as sure of that as she was that she had seen Dan with Carmencita only three days ago, passenger in her expensive car and--the thought came into bold relief now--partner in whatever game this was that Carmencita was playing!

"Oh, I'm so sorry," Mary said calmly, rose to go. "I'd hoped you would know."

"I am distressed that I cannot help you," Carmencita apologized through Lena.

The Tip-Off

MARY tried vainly to think of something more to say, some excuse for prolonging her visit a little. Because she was sure Dan was here, or had been here. Nothing she could identify as sound logic convinced her. But something else--a hunch, a feeling that was inspired by Carmencita's manner, her too-solicitous charm. Even before her glance snagged on the stubby, well-carved pipe in the elaborately carved ash tray, she was sure she'd stumbled onto some secret.

Never once during the next several moments that it took Mary to pave her way to the door with polite little apologies and thank-yous, did Carmencita betray the slightest anxiety. As cool as if she were really only concerned that Mary not trip on the dimly lit steps to the front entrance, she smiled and bowed and even was Mary drove away.

Her father wasn't in his office. He'd be back about five. It was nearly dinner time be-

fore she got her father on telephone.

"I have to see you Dad. At once. It's terribly important."

"Come out to the hospital, then. I have an emergency appendectomy in half an hour, so hurry."

Fifteen minutes later, as Dr. Paul scrubbed up for his operation, Mary told him the whole story beginning with Carmencita's strange morning strolls on the beach, Dan's mysterious role as 'shadow', her own recent visit to the villa where Carmencita had denied seeing him--she even mentioned the familiar pipe.

"Hm." Her father mused thoughtfully. "Strange, all right. And I haven't liked this business of Sherman's disappearing. I think we must notify the authorities at once."

"But Daddy, what can we prove?" Mary asked.

"Let them prove it," he said promptly.

Hank Gorman listened carefully to Mary's story when, after a tedious half hour wait in his outer office, she finally got to him. When she finished, he reached for his desk phone, dialed a number.

"You be thinking up some excuse to call on Senorita de la Vega again, will you?" he said to Mary while he waited for the call to go through. Then, into the mouthpiece. "Send Rowley up, will you?"

He replaced the receiver, reached for his hat. "You drive ahead and we'll follow. Maybe we can pick up some ideas if we see the place."

He smiled calmly and Mary was relieved, infinitely, to have transferred the burden of her anxiety to his broad, official shoulders.

Empty Coop

THE police car followed her discreetly. Mary noticed that they stopped outside the entrance to the private roadway. When she looked back again, the two men had disappeared into the verdant orange groves lining either side of the road.

She had stopped the car in front of the villa before she thought of some excuse. Could accomplished Senorita de la Vega sing at the Christmas Party for the selectees who were leaving Santa Phillipa? A safe suggestion since Mary knew her mother was chairman of the Entertainment Committee and hadn't yet planned a program.

She ran quickly across the broad veranda, pulled at the heavy brass knocker. There was no answer. Mary waited briefly then knocked again, louder this time. Still no answer. She tried again. Not a sound, not a footstep from within the villa.

Mary stepped back, glanced up at the big studio window. The heavy crimson draperies had been drawn. In fact, every curtain in the place was drawn. That seemed strange. It was a dark, dreary day with not so much as a splinter of sunshine to be shut out anywhere.

She went back to the door, pounded vigorously. Even though Carmencita herself might be gone, there must surely be one of the three servants left on duty!

She went around to the garage. Carmencita's red car was gone. And so was the station wagon her man-of-all-work drove into town for supplies.

Alarm gathering rapidly, Mary ran around to the side door opening onto the patio. Locked, of course. And there was no reply to her knocking. The same was true at the back door. All around the house there wasn't a light, a voice, a footstep save Mary's own.

Carmencita had gone. Mary realized now. And it was no temporary absence! Some premonition told her that!

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BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



A Visitor By EDGAR MARTIN



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



Deadly Weapon By MERRILL BLOSSEZ



WASH TUBS



Everything Under Control By ROY CRANE



ALLEY OOP



20th Century's Latest By V. T. HAMLIN



RED RYDER



Dark Outlook By FRED HARMON



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Sports News

Boxing Deemed Essential In Fighting On Guadalcanal To Stay Alive - Colonel Miller

BY SID FEDER

New York, Jan. 20.—(P)—The difference between a boxing glove and a bayonet is apparent even to the most casual observer, but take it from Col. Harvey Miller, the Marines who know their beak-busting have found it an especially healthy habit in places like Guadalcanal and Buna or Gona.

The boys are "learning like never before," says Colonel Miller, that a practical knowledge of boxing is important, and the reason is simple.

"In the ring, the correct side-step means only the difference between scoring a knock-down or being knocked down. In the jungle, the same side-step instinctively performed—without boxing gloves—but plus bayonets—may mean the difference between life and death. That's a big difference."

"There's no loser's end in the jungle league," Colonel Miller adds. "The motto is 'kill or be killed.'"

Colonel Miller is more widely known as Heime Miller, the permanent secretary and former president of the National Boxing Association, a fight fan from "Way back."

Writing from marine headquarters in Washington, Miller suggests boxing give up such intramural merry-go-rounds as the current lightweight muddle.

Calling for boxing to recognize its duty and concentrate on encouraging and teaching youngsters the sport as a means of self-defense in the "jungle hand-to-hand league," Miller contends that a state commission has no more license to give away a world championship "than the Arizona Legislature has to give away the statue of Liberty."

"Unity of purpose is most essential to boxing now," he writes. "Because it has suddenly become

big enough to be very important in national defense."

"This war with 'Tojo,' he goes on, "proved quickly that on Tojo's side of the Pacific, at least, boxing and its kindred mayhem—wrestling, jui jitsu and judo—are far more important than they were in 1917-18. Tojo elects to fight that way chiefly because he is absolutely lousy with infantry weapons at any range over 150 yards."

"And the fellow who doesn't know what it's all about in a close fight to the death is as much out of place as the lad who enters the ring knowing nothing about infighting. What's more, he has picked a tough spot to learn."

The most important men in boxing today, Miller adds, are fellows like Col. A. J. (Tony) Drexel Biddle, of Philadelphia, who is well over 60 and has come out of retirement "to give the marine corps the benefit of a lifetime of participation in boxing and other hand-to-hand sport."

Famous Swimming Instructor Quits

Pittsburgh, Jan. 20.—(P)—Jack Scarry resigned yesterday as swimming instructor and physical director of the Homestead Carnegie Library Club, a post he had held 22 years.

Scarry coached swimming teams that won indoor and outdoor national championships four in succession and molded individual champions who included Lenore Knight, Josephine McKim, Susan Laird, Anna Mae Gorman and Al Patnik.

The director gave no reason for his resignation. The club has been curtailing its activities since the war.

SPORT SHORTS

Chicago, Jan. 20.—(P)—For the first time since 1905, the annual Norge Ski Club meet, which drew the country's top riders, will not be held—because of the war. The event was scheduled for Sunday.

Many ranking skiers are in the armed forces. Gasoline rationing also was taken into consideration—as the meet is staged in suburban Cary, about 40 miles from Chicago.

Philadelphia, Jan. 20.—(P)—Connie Mack, whose American League Athletics have had plenty of war-time manpower problems, had this cautious comment to make about the Boston Braves' release of Paul Waner and John Cooney, two of the National League's oldest outfielders:

"Some of us may need men like them before the approaching war season is over. Right now I can't see where they can fit in with the Athletics. I expect to have plenty of outfielders around, but one can't be sure."

San Francisco, Jan. 20.—(P)—Cornelius Warmerdam, 27-year-old high school teacher who holds the unofficial world pole vault record of 15 feet 7 3/4 inches, hopes to clear 16 feet at the Millrose Games in New York February 6.

"I'm using a new pole—not a longer one, just a stronger one with more snap to it. I don't know what will happen, but we'll see."

He said he's also trying a higher grip.

The old pole carried him 3 3/4 inches higher than any other valuter in the world, but "I won't even take it with me this time."

Undeclared Teams Knocked Off List

Pittsburgh, Jan. 20.—(P)—Several sectional leaders suffered their first defeats of the season in the WPIAL basketball race last night.

Duquesne bowed to Clairton, 42 to 31, in section 6; McKeesport lost to Homestead, 44-27; Aliquippa was beaten by Beaver Falls 40 to 38; Leechport fell before Freeport 35-22, and Monongahela was beaten by Charleroi 25 to 20.

Another torrid game saw Turtle Creek nose out Braddock in section 7, by a 38 to 37 margin.

BASKETBALL

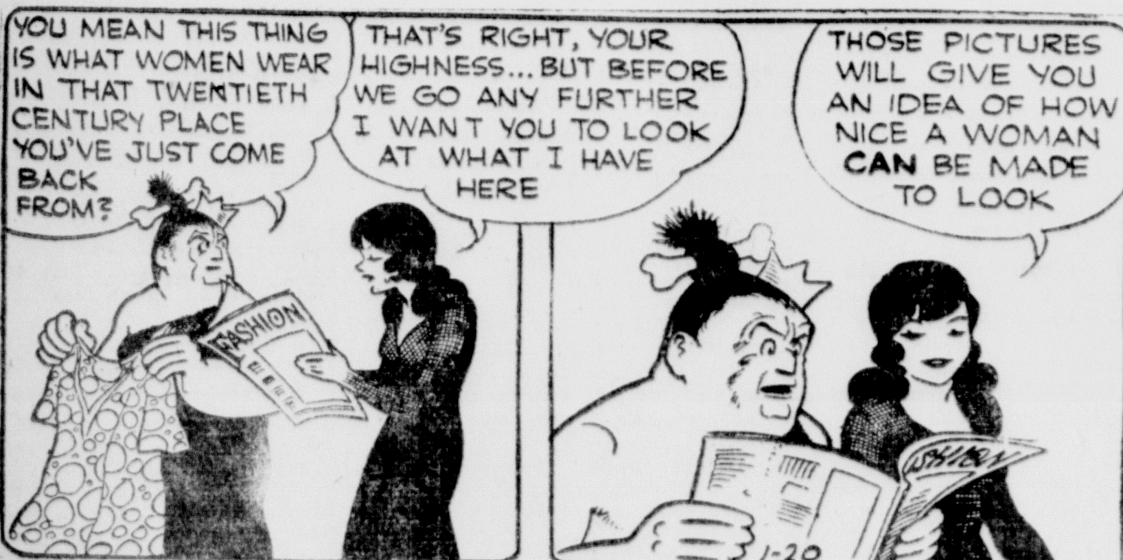
York 42, Steelton 33.
Carlisle 34, Harrisburg Catholic 27.
West Hazleton 45, Foster Twp. 30.
Easton 46, Pottsville 41 (overtime).
Shippensburg 35, Chambersburg 23.

Lower Paxton 31, New Cumberland 28.
Camp Hill 36, Lemoyne 24.
Allentown 58, Tamaqua 50.
Bethlehem 60, Hazleton 30.
Newport Twp 47, Nanticoke 24.
Wilkes-Barre Gar 38, Wilkes-Barre Couglin 34.
Berwick 48, Wilkes-Barre Meyers 38.

Exeter 27, Wyoming 14.
Luzerne 42, Edwardsville 25.
Pittston 31, Forty Fort 28.
Plains 41, Larksville 40.
Sugar Notch 32, Ashley 28.
St. Nicholas (Wilkes-Barre) 38, St. Mary's (Williamsport) 31.

In Zurich, Switzerland, the coming of spring is celebrated by the burning of a legendary snow man.

No Use Trying



RED RYDER



Things Look Brighter



By FRED HARMON



Elmer Layden Finally Clears Slingin' Sammy of Accusation

Chicago, Jan. 20.—(P)—Elmer Layden, commissioner of the National Football League, said today the case of Sammy Baugh, "charged with willful failure to attend and participate" in a benefit game at Philadelphia Dec. 27 between his Washington Redskins teammates and a league all star squad, had been "dropped for want of evidence in substantiation."

"Investigation has proved conclusively," Layden declared in a statement, "that Baugh did intend to play," that "he was sick at the time he was originally scheduled to leave his Rotan, Tex., ranch," and that transportation difficulties thwarted his efforts to reach Philadelphia the day before the game.

There was "no alternative," Layden said, "except to find Baugh not guilty or any violation of good faith or of any disregard for his obligation to the public, the league and to his fellow players. x x x The publicity and subsequent investigation attendant upon Baugh's failure to appear is deemed sufficient punishment under the circumstances."

"At most," the statement added, "Baugh may have been careless in delegating the duty of notifying club officials of his inability to leave on Dec. 22, as originally scheduled, to player Dick Todd of Washington, who presumed his cancellation of Baugh's plane reservations would serve as notification to club officials."

The absence of Baugh, star passer and punter of the champion Redskins, created a furore and was further complicated because a hotel register mixup had led officials to believe he was in town until he failed to report for practice. Frantic calls followed in an effort to get Baugh to appear even if illness would prevent his playing, but Baugh was unable to obtain transportation.

The game, proceeds from which went to the United Seamen's Service, was won by the All Stars, 17-14.

At the time of the incident, Baugh himself was quoted as saying:

"I never have run out on a football game and I didn't do it in the game at Philadelphia, x x x I wired Ray Flaherty, Washington coach, that I had been ill and couldn't play. Jack Espey, team manager, called back and told me I didn't have to play but to come anyway."

Baugh said he then made every effort to get to Philadelphia, but finally had to give it up.

Joe Waples, head referee of Warren and one of the best in the basketball line we have been fortunate to have for years is still awaiting Uncle Sam's call and in the meantime handles an average of five games per week—which any referee will testify isn't child's play.

In fact the average referee gets more of a work-out than any player on the floor and yet has to be on hand for every move of the men—and with a crutch too. This will be on the same order as that one—looks like number nine for the Dragons but remember the Bradford football game and what happened when demon overconfidence took over—seems nearly every fighter on tap for bouts today just starts for big-time stuff when Uncle Sam takes over—Well, a lot of them never would have been heard of more than once before they toppled and look at the title Barney Ross took over—Fighter of the Year—For his work with the marines on Guadalcanal and he never touched a ring—There'll be a bunch more of them now—How about a match between the Conewango Club cream of the crop and the Elks now—

Warren journey to Falconer Friday night will be another of the one or two men cheering events—Trekking to Jamestown the other night to see Warren trim the hilltoppers a couple of us had a hard time staying in the seats when the Dragons opened their barrage—Looks like number nine for the Dragons but remember the Bradford football game and what happened when demon overconfidence took over—seems nearly every fighter on tap for bouts today just starts for big-time stuff when Uncle Sam takes over—Well, a lot of them never would have been heard of more than once before they toppled and look at the title Barney Ross took over—Fighter of the Year—For his work with the marines on Guadalcanal and he never touched a ring—There'll be a bunch more of them now—How about a match between the Conewango Club cream of the crop and the Elks now—

New York, and Andre Gomez, 156, Havana, Cuba, drew, (10).

Jersey City—Cannonball Gibson, 119, New York, outpointed Carlos Cuebas, 122, Puerto Rico, (8).

In normal times, one-fifth of the population of Brimsby, England, is dependent upon the fishing industry.

First bridge of any kind to span the Connecticut river was the toll bridge built at Fellows Falls, Vt., in 1784.

Ostrich racing is a novelty at southern resorts. Girls are used as jockeys and the ostriches are hooded.

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STRIKES SPARE

PENN BOWLING CENTER
Bab's Barbers, with Shields' 227-538, Flohr's 213, Gaghan's 200-523, led their team to a three point win over the Crossett's to remain in the league leadership. Christensen's 211-530 and Laufenger's 540 topped the losers.

Paramount Furniture, with Yeagle's big 245-200-612, led his team to a three point win over the Kinnear's. Katon's 204-523 helped the wood carvers as Rydholm's 201-512 led the Crossett men.

Butter Krusts, with Harold Clepper's 222-581, paired with Stephen's 531 led their team to a three point win over the Heat Treat with Pauk's 517 and Lightner's 214-512 topping the Forge men.

Forge Shop made the only clean sweep as they trimmed the Published's four points with Zuerl's 520 topping the scoring. Pettitt's 525 led the Times-Mirror. Freddy Aumer turned in a 201 for the Heat Treat.

Individual scoring honors went to Harold Yeagle's big 612 and 245. Team honors went to the leading Bab's Barbers on 2394 total and 929 team game.

Standings	W.	L.	Pct.
Bab's Barbers	45	27	.616
Paramount Furniture	40	32	.556
Heat Treat	37	31	.544
Butter-Krusts	39	33	.532
Crossett's	34	34	.500
Forge Shop	34	34	.500
Kinnear's	31	27	.532
Times-Mirror	20	52	.278

Leaders
High single game, Zuerl 263.
High three games, Ross 658.
High team game, Paramount 1059.
High team total, Paramount 2825.

Last night's totals:
Bab's Barbers . . . 56 809 929-2594
Crossett's . . . 802 892 815-2500
Butter Krusts . . . 825 886 853-2504
Heat Treat . . . 844 853 836-2533
Kinnear's . . . 810 826 789-2435
Paramount . . . 763 900 829-2492
Times-Mirror . . . 732 787 758-2277
Forge Shop . . . 837 898 806-2541

Honor roll: Aumer 201, Rydholm 201, Katon 204, Yeagle 245-200, Flohr 213, Shields 227, Gaghan 200, Christensen 211, Clepper 222, Lightner 214.
High totals: Stephens 531, Harold Clepper 581, Pawk 517, Shields 538, Gaghan 523, Christensen 530, Laufenger 570, Rydholm 524, Yeagle 612, Katon 523, Pettitt 525, Zuerl 520.

AT THE ARCADE
Some of the closest matches of the season were held at the Arcade lanes last night as the K. of C. league took over the four slides for the night and turned in some exciting matches which found the Fordhams nailing three out of the Santa Clara crew and the Notre Dame league leading three to a good pace and picking up three on the opposite slides for an advance in their league percentage.

Dr. S. Guinta and Tony Fazio led Fordhams with 211 and 569 respectively; Bob Haben with 202 and Chas. Bonavita at 521 took over the helm for Santa Clara. Yarbacek's 190 and Dr. J. Guinta with 551 led Notre Dame in the second match while Leo Minelli smacked 516 and had a 205 game for the Holy Cross unit.

Fordham . . . 793 774 783-2350
Santa Clara . . . 759 829 715-2303
Holy Cross . . . 811 820 850-2481
Notre Dame . . . 897 861 830-2588

Standing	W.	L.	Pct.
Notre Dame	45	27	.625
Holy Cross	34	38	.472
Fordham	33	39	.458
Santa Clara	30	42	.417

Leaders
High single game, A. Fazio 256.
High three games, J. Salamon 611.
High team game, Notre Dame 972.
High team 3 games, Fordham 2646.

CONEWANGO CLUB
The Conewango Club Keglers are keeping up a hot pace on the local slides and turning in some of the best scores in town. Last night rolling scores with no single game under the 800 mark, the Logan outfit under the guidance of Johnny Carter, Brown and Captain Harry Logan smacked 2604 to take all four points from the Reed five. The losers were led by the sharpshooting of Biers, Reed and Gibb and came close to coping every game as they bowed to the advancing Logan keggers. Huling with 205 and Conaway at 202, for the Logans were the only members to hit the honor roll. The Logans won the second game tie with an extra frame.

Logans . . . 886 863 855-2604
Reeds . . . 873 863 814-2550

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PACIFIC PATROL

Chapter 26
In The Bushes

MARY drove quickly out of the private road into the highway, turned toward town. Dad had been right, of course. This was something the officers must handle. Still, she wished she had some assurance that they would act fast! What if Dan were in danger of his life right this moment? What if it was a matter of minutes!

Her busy mind didn't let her close her eyes all night. Wide awake long before daylight, she got up, finally, and dressed in her uniform, got down to the post half an hour before she was supposed to go on duty.

The grey morning hours dragged. Mary found herself pacing the narrow look-out tower room like a caged lioness. But when she called in a report to Headquarters about eleven o'clock, nothing alarming had happened.

As soon as she was relieved of duty, Mary drove straight to Hank Gorman's office. He was in. He would see Miss Garthwaite in a few minutes.

Mary was hard-pressed to hold her anxiety in leash as she finally walked into the office. Mr. Gorman's smile seemed exasperatingly calm. The quiet assurance that all possible was being done didn't satisfy her in the least.

"Have you any additional clue—any information at all that—"

"Nothing, Miss Garthwaite. We appreciate your interest. We will advise you as soon as we can."

Mary realized her questions had been impertinent, that if the officer did have additional valuable information, he wouldn't be giving it to her! So she thanked him, left the office quickly.

But she couldn't go home. She couldn't face another long afternoon cooped up in the house. Why not go for a horseback ride? She hadn't been for ages.

She stopped at the house just long enough to change into riding clothes, tuck a heavy coat into the car against a chilly evening. Then she drove straight out to the Mission's farm. Old Standing Bear had a few horses there that he rented to local bride fans.

Into The Hills
The old Indian smiled as she drove up before the long low farm buildings of which he was caretaker. No one knew better than Mary how great a tribute that was to her. The old Indian's wrinkled, leathery face was seldom anything but stolid. But he adored Mary Garthwaite—mostly, she knew, because she was Paul Garthwaite's daughter. But Mary had always loved the old man, had learned to interpret his brusque grunts, his cryptic monosyllables.

"Good morning," she said now, smiling at him and nodding to that he stooped more with every year. He must be seventy at least. He'd always seemed old to her. "How about a ride, this afternoon?"

The old Indian shook his head. "No ride."

"Why not? It won't rain before night," Mary knew the old man's peculiar obstinacy from earliest recollections. The Bear never approved of any project at first.

"No ride. No good little girl ride today," he insisted.

"But I'm not a little girl any more. Standing Bear. And you've said yourself I'm a good rider. I won't hurt your fine mare anyway."

But it was several minutes before he finally, still grumbling, trudged off to the stable to return eventually with two saddled horses. Mary smiled. He'd merely been waiting for her to ask him to act as her guide.

"Standing Bear go too," he announced when he'd put her into her saddle. "No good girl go alone today."

"Fine. You haven't ridden with me for a long time. Come on," she said.

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LOST—2 sugar ration books, Chester Wroblewski and Mrs. Mary Wroblewski, Youngsville, Pa. Finder please mail to owners.

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LOST—Kerosene stamps with name of Elmer Johnson, Akeley, Pa. Finder please return to owner.

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32 Help Wanted—Female
WANTED—Woman to assist with care of 2 children and help with housework. Good salary. 602 Madison Ave. Phone 1487-M.

Employment

33 Help Wanted—Male
AUTOMOBILE mechanic wanted. East Side Cities Service. Phone 955.

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BARTENDER wanted at Oscar's Restaurant. Call any evening after 7. Phone 2696.

BELL BOY wanted. Apply at Carver Hotel.

WANTED—An experienced shoe salesman, capable of operating a department. Must be willing and cooperative worker. At least two years' selling experience necessary. Apply at Montgomery Ward & Co., Warren, Pa.

36 Situations Wanted—Female
COMPETENT lady would like care of children afternoons and evenings. Phone 2786-R.

WANTED—Position as comptometer operator or general office work. Phone 1-1R2 Sheffield, Pa.

Live Stock

50 Wanted—Live Stock
WANTED—Heavy chickens, springers and fowls. Phone 387.

WANTED—Market poultry, veal and pork. Angove's Market.

Merchandise

59 Household Goods
APARTMENT furniture, refrigerator, washer, cleaner, gas stoves, piano for quick sale. Call between 2-4, 7-8:30. Dorothy Mitchell, 417 Penna. Ave., E. 3rd floor right.

COAL and wood Heatrola for sale. Price \$25. Inquire McGraw, 9 Nesmith Street, after 3 P. M.

BUY, sell and exchange household goods. Carlson's Second Hand Store, Russell St. & Madison Ave.

66 Wanted to Buy
USED 12-GAUGE SHOTGUNS—The War Department has urgent need for serviceable, used 12-gauge shotguns of the following types: Pumps, automatics and doubles. It has been authorized to purchase them from individuals and dealers in guns. It is requested, therefore, that all dealers and individuals in Western Pennsylvania having the guns described and willing to part with their guns, address a post card immediately to the Small Arms Branch, Pittsburgh Ordnance District, War Department, 1202 Chamber of Commerce Building, Pittsburgh, Pa. This card will show where the gun or guns can be located. Those furnishing the above information will be contacted by mail within forty-eight hours after the receipt of the post card. Due to the urgency of the request, cards received after January 23, 1943, will not be considered. DO NOT SEND GUNS TO ABOVE ADDRESS UNTIL REQUESTED BY WAR DEPARTMENT AUTHORITIES.

WANTED—12-gauge repeating shotgun, also .38 Special revolver, either Colt or Smith & Wesson. Must be in good mechanical condition. Call 209-W.

OLD glassware, china, books, dolls, buttons, pictures, Write or phone Mrs. H. M. Miller, Warren, Pa.

WANTED—Small size oil Perfection heater, in first class condition. N. B. Dockham, 20 Plum St.

WANTED—To buy electric refrigerator. State price, year model. Write Box 4, care Times-Mirror.

WANTED—To buy or rent Monroe electric calculator. Advise model, price, etc. Address: Monroe, P. O. Box No. 3, Bradford, Pa.

WANTED—Wiping cloths. Must be white, clean and large size. 5c lb. Bring to Times-Mirror.

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77 Houses for Rent
MODERN 6-room brick house, 1616 Penna. Ave., E. Call 1327-J after 5 o'clock.

SMALL family to live on farm, 2 miles from Warren. Rent free in exchange for some chores. Write Box "F", Times-Mirror office.

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BROKER in Real Estate, Warren Real Est. & Inv. Co. Call 2140.

89 Wanted—Real Estate
WANTED—To buy or rent 15 or 20 acre farm near Russell. Must have house and barn. Call Russell 3361.

MEN IN SERVICE

Pvt. Donald Wolfe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gail Wolfe, Hill street, is stationed at Camp Bowie, Texas.

Word has just been received that another Warren soldier assigned from the January 6 contingent is Pvt. Robert L. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Fredericks, 23 Locust street, have had word from their son, Pvt. Walter A. Fredericks, that he is stationed at Camp Bowie, Texas, with more than 30 other Warren soldiers. He left here with the January 6 Selective Service contingent.

Mrs. J. Ray Shepard, 417 Poplar street, has had word from her son, Lt. Clark Shepard, that he has been transferred from Fort Knox, Ky., to an armored regiment at Camp Polk, La.

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Two Hold-Overs in Office as Result of Minority Objection

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retary Howard L. Russell, who previously announced his resignation to take a national welfare position.

Action of the Democrats held up proceedings in the senate yesterday to the extent that another session had to be arranged for today to permit introduction of bills. The house meanwhile, was in adjournment until 9 p. m. next Monday after a post-inaugural session which brought in eight bills and two resolutions.

Objection to two cabinet members by the senate Democrats revives a condition which existed during the past two years under former Governor Arthur H. James. Republicans have a 32-18 majority in the upper branch but lack the necessary two-thirds majority for confirmation of gubernatorial appointments.

Consequently, GOP leaders hold in committee names of persons opposed by the Democrats, the cabinet members being reappointed after each legislative session. Police Commissioner Lynn G. Adams' name stayed in committee four assembly sessions. Martin has replaced him.

Meanwhile, the senate set up its committees after the inauguration of Lieutenant Governor John C. Bell as its new presiding officer yesterday. Martin made the customary request of incoming governors for return of those appointments of his predecessor which had not already been confirmed. The list includes among others members of the milk, fish and game commissions and the new board of parole. Usually most are returned for confirmation.

Fourteen cabinet members receiving confirmation took their oath immediately.

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of stubborn enemy resistance. The night war bulletins also noted the capture of Belaya Kalitva, on the north bank of the Donets river where the Stalingrad-Likha railway crosses it.

The armies thrusting down from the Voronezh front and pushing west from the Don bend now had gained the encirclement of troops in an area between Kamensk and Rossosh and bounded by the Don river and the Moscow-Rostov railway, the Russians said.

The capture since last Wednesday of 32,000 prisoners—of whom only 2,500 were Germans—was announced officially. The others were Russians.

Germany's Allies—some of them sent token troops units to the front—were showing a weariness for war and a willingness to be taken prisoner as they were caught in traps similar to the encirclement that cut out the besiegers of Stalingrad, Russian reports said.

In a two-hour battle near Post-oyaly, on the Voronezh front, it was reported that 5,000 Italian officers and men were captured and in another engagement it was said that the Russians seized 700 Italian trucks, and Red army soldiers climbed into them and gave pursuit to the enemy.

MORE SLIDES FEARED
Alquippa, Jan. 20.—(P)—The threat of further rock slides again caused closing of Constitution Boulevard today by the state highway department. Engineers feared a repetition of the slide of Dec. 22 when a bus was crushed, killing 22 persons. Traffic has been detoured between Aliquippa, Ambridge and South Heights.

Vermont's first marble quarry was opened in Dorset in 1785.

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Eighth Army on Heels Of Fleeing Axis

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and another formation raided the harbor at Sousse in Tunisia. These formations were engaged by Axis fighters, three of which were shot down, the communicate said.

Four Allied aircraft were reported missing from these and other operations.

Meanwhile, on the political front, confused North Africans watched the first move of the new Algerian governor general, Marcel Payrouton, long-time foe of Pierre Laval.

Payrouton was named yesterday to replace Yves Chel in what observers here regarded as a move to install a firm and expert administration and at the same time rid Algeria of Laval sympathizers.

Payrouton's experience as a former governor general of Tunisia also was expected to be invaluable in the on-out clash which the rapid retreat of Rommel's forces was bringing closer hourly.

By the Associated Press
Cairo, Jan. 20.—The British Eighth Army closing in on Tripoli reached the crest of Nefusa ridge today for its last down-grade sweep of less than 50 miles against the bombed and burning Libyan capital which American bombers kept blasting daily.

Two of Lieut. Gen. Sir Bernard L. Montgomery's columns were advancing upon Tarhuna and Homs, 40 and 60 miles respectively from Tripoli.

B-24 Liberators blazed the way for the attack with continued heavy blows by daylight yesterday against the Libyan capital, and extended their raids westward to the Tunisian supply port of Sousse where a merchant vessel was hit and bombs burst along the docks and quays.

American medium bombers raided Castel Benito airdrome 13 miles south of Tripoli again, starting fires.

Forced to resort to other airfields farther in the rear, the German air force was able to maintain aerial activity, but failed to prevent continued, relentless Allied attacks on German columns reported moving west of Tripoli on roads to Tunisia.

Nazis Explain Reverses on Soviet Front

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grad, the newspaper said the Germans now must reckon with the loss of more than 20 divisions and with a defeat greater than any suffered in this war. They will recover from this defeat, it said, as their adversaries have from their defeats but it will cost them more.

The newspaper explained that in fighting men as well as materials the Allies have greater reserves than the Axis nations. Russian manpower,

Ration Coupon Banking Will Go Into Effect January 27th

"Ration coupon banking," a new type of banking service for retailers and wholesalers of rationed commodities, designed to make the nation's ration program work more effectively, will be inaugurated here in Warren on January 27, it is announced by Warren Clearing House Association.

This is a war service that the government has asked the banks to undertake under which wholesalers and the larger retailers will be required by the Office of Price Administration to open "ration bank accounts" in the banks with which they customarily do business. Into these "ration accounts" the wholesalers and retailers will deposit the ration coupons received from their customers against which they will draw special "ration checks," when ordering new supplies. It is expected that only the retailers whose food sales in December, 1942, exceeded \$5,000 will be directed by the Office of Price Administration to open "ration accounts." No charges of any kind will be made by the banks for this service.

Consumers such as housewives, motorists, and other individuals who purchase rationed commodities for consumption will not be affected by the new "ration coupon banking" system. They will continue to obtain their ration coupons from local ration boards and they will continue to "spend" their coupons at the stores just as they have been doing in the past. Only certain dealers selling rationed commodities will have to open "ration bank accounts."

The banks will have nothing to do with the fixing of ration allotments or allowances, or with the issuing of ration coupons. The local ration boards will continue to perform these functions.

The new "ration banking" system will not affect the regular money or check accounts of the public at all. The public will con-

tinue to use their bank accounts in the customary way.

The "ration bank accounts" will be new accounts for the handling of ration coupons only and will be entirely separate from all other accounts in the banks. Be depositing coupons in their "ration bank accounts" retailers and wholesalers will build up credits or balances of pounds, gallons, or points in the various rationed commodities. Against these balances they will draw special "ration checks" payable to their suppliers when they order new stocks or supplies to sell to the public.

These "ration checks" will have nothing to do with the payment for the commodities ordered. Retailers and wholesalers will continue to pay their bills in the usual way.

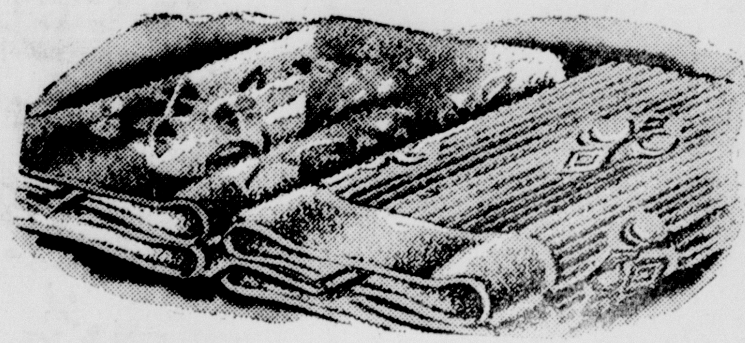
"Ration coupon banking" is a new plan for handling a lot of the work now done by the 5,500 local ration boards. Collecting, counting, recording, controlling, and safeguarding of ration coupons and exchanging them for certificates by means of which dealers order new supplies of commodities for sale to the public has threatened to overburden the ration boards and possibly jeopardize the flow of commodities to the public as additional commodities are rationed. The government has therefore asked the banks to undertake these accounting activities in order to assure the smooth running and success of the ration program.

Rationing is designed to secure a fair share of scarce commodities for everybody. "Ration coupon banking" is designed to help bring that about. In undertaking to operate this new "ration coupon banking" system the banks will perform a nonprofit war service for the government. In doing this, the banks are simply adding another service to the numerous war jobs they are already performing.

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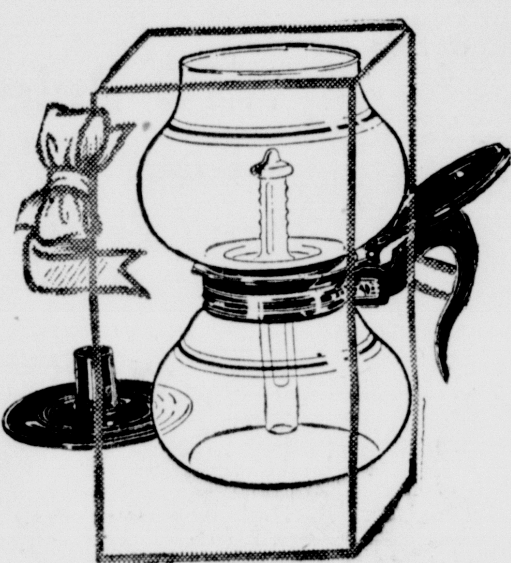
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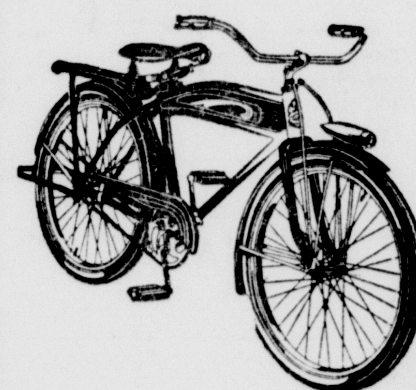


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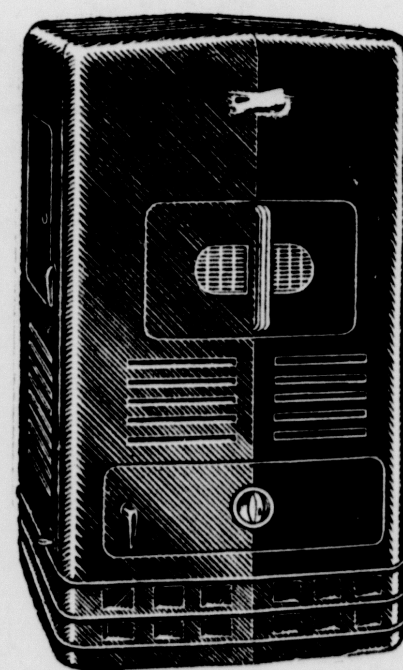
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TIMES TOPICS

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Charles Byers, of Tidoute, recently purchased a registered Guernsey cow from L. C. Gill, of Titusville, to add to his local herd. June T. of Cottage Home 74544, is the name under which this animal is registered with the American Guernsey Cattle Club.

FEBRUARY CLASSES

It is learned today that the advanced first aid class which is to be taught by Mrs. R. C. Thompson and Mrs. K. P. Knudsen will not begin its sessions until after the first of February. Those who enrolled for this work at the last session of the standard class are asked to get in touch with the instructors.

HERE FOR FUNERAL

Miss Mari Grace Hutchinson, of Brookville, who attends Clarion State Teachers College, is here to attend the funeral of Lt. Andrew Erickson, Jr., young aviator killed in Florida, and is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Erickson, 8 Dahl street. She is a sorority sister of Miss Joyce Erickson at the college.

HOW TO SLICE YOUR OWN

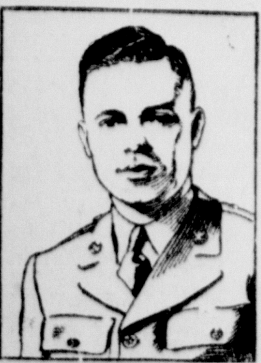
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ham, 700 East street. Upon his return to the naval training base, he will be transferred to Bedford Springs for 16 weeks of intensive training for radiomen. The Grahams have had word that another son, LeRoy, is now located at Camp Bowie, Texas.

Mrs. Robert F. Allen has had word from her husband that he has been transferred from New Cumberland to the tank destroyer battalion at Camp Bowie, Texas.

Cpl. Edgar C. Small, of Tionesta, has been visiting his grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Weaver, 14 Alston street, and his uncle, Earl Small, 209 Madison avenue, before returning to Fort Jackson, S. C.

Pvt. Donald P. Weaver, son of

Mr. and Mrs. Paul D. Weaver, 311 Lexington avenue, writes that he has arrived at Camp Bowie, Texas.

Jack Shipman, with the Army Air Corps in New Mexico, has been promoted to the rank of corporal, according to word just received by his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Russell, 15 Cedar street, have had word that their son, Frank, Jr., has been assigned to Camp Bowie, Texas.

Word has been received that Pvt. Anthony J. Massa, who left with the January 6 Selective Service contingent, is now stationed at Camp Bowie, Texas.

Pvt. Joseph V. Nichols has returned to Norfolk, Va., after spending a short leave with his

parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Nichols, Pennsylvania avenue, west.

Pfc. R. I. Merkle, stationed with the air force at Hill Field, Ogden, Utah, is on a seven-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Merkle, Tidoute.

Pvt. Ernest A. Johnson, who is with the Army Air Force Band at Atlantic City, N. J., returned there this morning after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter M. Johnson, Prospect street, on a three-day pass.

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P. T. A. News

JOHNSON UNIT

Mrs. E. C. Christensen conducted the monthly business meeting of the A. Bessie Johnson PTA. When action was taken to enlarge the school's supply of kitchen equipment; also to increase the circulation of the Parent-Teacher Magazine. Miss Ida McKinney, principal, conducted devotions and led group singing, with Miss Lorraine Harkless accompanying. The attendance award was given Miss Harkless' room. Creed Erickson, representing the sixth grade auditorium class, ably presented a comprehensive biography of Benjamin Franklin.

Mrs. Martin Manders, of the

Children's Aid Society, capably told how this work came into being to improve conditions of apprenticeship as experienced by Benjamin Franklin and other children of the middle 19th century but now finds itself concerned in the field of family problems, foster homes and adoptions. She explained that the Children's Aid Society is not a member of the Community Chest because it served all of Warren county, so its support comes from members of the community. She outlined its cooperation with the probation officer and county commissioners, who are responsible for children in the Hoffman Home. Enthusiastic audience participation established the high esteem in which the home is held in its own community. To conclude the meeting, re-

freshments were served by fourth grade mothers.

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